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MICH. FIRST TO IMPORT REINDEER

HERD IS DOING WELL AT HANSON RANCH

Native Lap Tells of Characteristics of Animals and Possibilities.

The herd of reindeer from Norway are nicely ensconced at the R. Hanson ranch north of the city where, according to employees of the Department of Conservation of Michigan, they will probably find their future home. Reports from the ranch state that the animals are getting along wonderfully well, are contented and active, and plenty of food to their liking is being found in abundance. Game Warden L. M. Massey is looking after them and makes daily reports to the Department as to the progress they are making.

These animals already have cost the State a nice little sum and it is hoped and expected that in the near future they will become a sound financial asset to the people of Michigan as well as one of our big attractions and pleasures.

The deer were brot to Michigan from Norway by Dr. Halford Christiansen, who is engaged in the reindeer industry in Norway.

When asked as to his opinion of reindeer establishment in Michigan, Dr. Christiansen said, "There is no reason to believe otherwise than that reindeer will do well in your State. You recognize that in our own country that they represent our most important industry. This is particularly true in the northern sections and we have found that the native Laplander has no superior as a reindeer herder and breeder. There seems to be something almost uncanny in their care and success with these animals. When a Lap has had numbering from 200 to 800 reindeer, he is considered a poor Lap because that size herd will only take care of his immediate needs. However, when the herd reaches 1,000 in number, he is then considered as being in the reindeer business."

The reindeer according to Dr. Christiansen breed about the middle of September and as a rule produce but one calf in late May or early June. Both male and female have horns and shed in March or April.

"I have often seen a spread of horns on a male reindeer of five feet from tip to tip and it is not unusual," said the Doctor, "to have reindeer run for two days and two nights at a stretch, stopping only for food, at a rate of speed of from 15 to 20 miles an hour. Our people utilize everything that the reindeer can give them. They are butchered in October, November, and December for home consumption and in January for export. The meat is used fresh, dried, smoked and salted and is much like your native prime beef. The hide is used in the making of clothing and particularly outer garments and trousers, also, in the making of

THE ANNUAL JUNIOR PROM

PRETTIEST PARTY OF SEASON WAS CREDIT TO CLASS OF 1923.

The school gymnasium was never more attractively or beautifully than on Friday night when the class of '23, together with the patrons and patronesses, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mason, Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Howell, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Canfield were hostesses to the Senior class, and many other friends at the Junior Prom. The room had the appearance of a spacious porch, with blue and white striped awnings, and a canopy above with twinkling stars as a canopy above each window was a black and white striped awning. Columns covered in white and wound in green supported the balcony, beneath which ranged most artistically were gray porch tables upon which were baskets of red and pink roses. Then there were comfy wicker rockers and wicker floor lamps and table lamps. Here and there palms and small trees had been placed and on either side of the doorway at the front of the gym were huge landscape panels which gave the appearance of distant scenery.

Schram's orchestra was stationed at the farther end of the room surrounded by large palms. At 8 o'clock the music struck up and the dance was on. The many bright colored gowns of the ladies added greatly to the party and it was indeed a beautiful sight to see the crowd swaying to the music surrounded by the spring-like effect of the decorations. The lunch was served on long tables extending through the hall on the second floor. These tables were decorated with red candles in crystal candlesticks; there was a red paper box filled with candy at each place together with a carnation and a card upon which was written, Junior Prom 1922. The lunch was served by 20 young girls at actively frocked in organdie. The smoking and checking department rooms for the girls and the ladies' room for the ladies were of many attractive features of the party which gave comfort as well as beauty and convenience to the affair. The music was exceptionally good and those present were profuse in their expression of how fine the affair had been. The class of '23 are to be congratulated upon the success of this annual Prom. During the evening the audience was favored with an exhibition dance by Misses Margaret and Ella Hanson, followed by a solo, "Garden of Old-fashioned Roses," sweetly sung by Miss Marie Schmidt.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lamb, of Bay City; Mr. and Mrs. Benton Jorgensen, Detroit; Arthur Jorgensen, Bay City; Miss Jennie Karpus, Bay City; Gordon Davidson, Bay City; Miss Norma Leback and Miss Veronica Tobin, Cheboygan.

APPRECIATION.

This is to let the people of Grayling know that we appreciate the fine patronage that is being given us in the short time that we have been in business in the city. The demand for our product are greatly beyond our fondest hopes, and we wish to thank the citizens who have contributed to this condition.

We shall continue to give the people just what they desire in milk and milk products and intend gradually to improve your equipment and the service. Remember that we can supply you with all the milk and cream you want, also butter, butter milk and ice cream.

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"I feel twenty years younger," is what thousands have said after taking restored them to health. Try it. A. M. Lewis, druggist.

Farm Bureau Notes

Runtiness and the Remedy.

Believing that there is a large field in this county for the practice of the truths herein expressed, I give herewith, without change, selections from an article by that title by John R. Mohler, Chief, Bureau of Animal Industry, United States Department of Agriculture, on the vital subject, "Runtiness and the Remedy."

"The experience of several hundred practical stock men and breeders shows that runtiness is largely preventable."

"A bull, nearly 8 years old, received at stock yards in Kosciusko, Mo., last year, weighed only 300 pounds. In contrast, another bull, examined by a department inspector in Illinois, weighed 2150 pounds as a 2 year old, or 7 times as much as the older one."

"On farms whose live stock is probably better managed than the general average for the United States, runtiness constituted 7 per cent of the total."

"Financial returns on these farms would be increased 13 per cent if runts were absent."

Runts by the Million.

"Seven per cent of runtiness is a figure that looms large when applied to the live-stock industry of the country. It means 14 million head, exclusive of feathered stock."

"There is the most runtiness among hogs, which show 10.1 per cent. Sheep, 7 per cent. Poultry 5.5 per cent. Cattle, 3.9 per cent."

Breeding and Feeding Chief Causes.

Principal Causes of Runts.	Per Cent.
Inferior breeding	31.6
Inadequate or unsuitable food	30.4
Parasites or insect pests	15.1
Lack of adequate housing and care	12.4
Contagious diseases	4.9
Accident	2.0
Other causes	1.7
Total	100.0

"The other causes include inferior breeding, breeding immature animals, excessively large litters (swine), poor condition of dam, overcrowding at feed, digestive troubles, lack of exercise, weaning too early, unkindness, and a variety of minor causes."

Weaning Time a Critical Period.

"More than 85 per cent of runtiness became so between birth and shortly after weaning."

"A 4 per cent of runtiness appears at birth; 50.7, in infancy, or before weaning; 36.7 shortly after weaning; 12.7 in part of life generally; 1.5 any time."

"Majority of pigs become runt before weaning, and calves shortly after weaning. Weaning time or thereabouts, is undoubtedly the critical period in the life of a farm animal."

Ways To Prevent Runts.

Methods of Preventing Runts.	Per Cent.
Super and adequate feed	21.3
Better breeding	24.8
Better care and systematic attention	18.3
Better housing and sanitation	9.4
Care of dam before birth of young	5.7
Control of parasites (worms, lice, etc.)	3.5
Control of disease	1.2
Other methods	2.0
Total	100.0

"It is noticeable that whereas inferior breeding occupies first position as chief cause of runtiness, proper and adequate feed is first as a preventive method."

"Although inferior breeding causes most runts, breeding alone will not prevent runts. You can stunt the best bred animals by improper or insufficient feed."

"Study your animals before mating. Do not use inferior stock. Be sure they are free from disease. Then give the 'corner cross' and runts will be scarce."

"One stockman said: 'Better breeding, better feeding, better housing have been my aim and I have reduced my runts from 40 to 10 per cent in 3 years. I discovered that I lost money on nine-tenths of the runts I raised to normal size; and, with the others, I barely broke even. Breed and feed make the animal every time!'"

"Another breeder, who stated that he had no runts whatever, explained: 'We have eliminated runts by raising nothing but purebred stock.' 'We quit the scrub business long ago,' said another. 'When everyone quit raising scrubs the runts will gradually quit. But so many people say, 'Oh, it's a long or a calf. What's the difference so the service fees are cheap? Poor blind people!'"

"One farmer says of reducing runts: 'I always try to use a better sire than the dam, and in that way get better offspring, not only in cattle but in chickens.'"

"One stockman says: 'Continue correct and nourishing feed until the animal is a year old, and then don't stop.'"

"A Virginia stockman sums up the general sentiment on prevention of runts by saying: 'In 10 years of farming I have not had a runt born of horse, cattle or hogs. All my sires have been registered, and this, with good care and feeding, may be the

Young People in Musical Comedy

REHEARSALS PROGRESSING WELL. SURE TO BE BIG SUCCESS.

100 Local People to Take Part. Music and Fun Galore.

What is certain to be a big success is the musical comedy entitled "The Merry Travelers" that is to be presented at the school auditorium on the evenings of Thursday and Friday May 4 and 5. This is to be given under auspices of the Good Fellowship club and the proceeds are to be used for purchasing added educational equipment for the schools.

Rehearsing for the play is now going on and progressing finely under direction of Mrs. Reynolds, a professional instructor. The principal parts are all well taken and when the curtain rises at 8:00 o'clock on the opening night, a cast is going to be presented that is sure to make a big hit with the audience.

There will be beautiful costumes and attractive scenery and everything to make the play attractive. The college chorus is such as would entice the most staid audience. The closing chorus of the first act is a novelty, with 10 young people. The musical girls will show some of the most beautiful costumes. The gypsy dancer, Miss Azilda LaGrow, will give a solo dance in costume. Act two will close with Mrs. Roy Milnes in a swing with a chorus of 16 young people.

Act 3 will present a carnival chorus at Coney Island. Following this chorus the audience will be introduced to Mr. Morrow, the "deaf old bachelor" who is greatly interested in Miss Donna Lockhoff as Miss Bachelor, an interesting young lady at 60.

Dr. Howell, as Ezekiah, and Anne Walton as Samantha, appear in a wedding march to the tune of "Turkey in the Straw." Hoiger F. Peterson, as Mr. Traveler, is a decidedly honked husband. Mrs. Lewis is the dominating Mrs. Traveler.

The colored bell boy, Emerson Brown, the duke of Boredom, Mr. Jarmin and the French maid, Mrs. Milnes, appear in solos and duets.

The finale of the 3rd act shows a group of girls of English, French, Dutch, Japanese, Italian and Irish, who will give dances characteristic of their countries in costume. Next appear the U. S. A. girls, and then, with outstretched hands, guarding them all, appears Miss Columbia.

Everybody delights in these home talent productions and this promises to be an exceptionally attractive one and no doubt but that the expectations of the committee for a big crowd are sure to be gratified. The prices of admission are 30 and 50; time May 4 and 5, curtain at 8:00 p. m.

FISHERMAN'S LUCK.

This will be the preacher's subject at the Michelson Memorial church next Sunday morning at ten-thirty. It is not the fishing season alone that is before us but the season that has to do with luck and is important.

Last Sunday the Knights of Pythias attended church in a body. It was a fine sight to see the crowd of men.

Do not forget that there are still two services at the church Sundays. Also there is that fine Sunday School and a place where the boys and girls of Grayling should be for the hour on Sunday.

Tanlac builds up the weak, run down system and makes you feel strong, sturdy and well, as nature intended. A. M. Lewis, druggist.

T. N. T.

AN EXPLOSION OF PEDIGREED TRUTH.

(Notes of the Grayling Schools.)

Earl Frenn of Detroit has entered the 5th A. Class.

The Juniors are now selling artificial roses, and anyone desiring any better get them as soon as possible.

Miss Woodward says she does not like it, when pupils cannot come to class without their base ball gloves. She says bring her a bat and she will soon end this contention.

A group of teachers were entertained at the home of Miss Anna Nelson Monday evening.

The Juniors of the school are going to buy the scenes they had at the J. Prom. The school needs them.

The musical comedy that you have heard about is going to be given May 4 and 5.

The Juniors are slightly worried (we may say) over their debt.

Eva and Emma Hendrickson of Ne-gaunee have entered the Grayling High School.

Clyde Dyer, George Slivics, and Wesley Shingler have left school.

It has been rumored that the school is going to have a tennis court, and that the pupils will learn, and play tennis instead of regular gym training.

Spice.

Miss Bellows (in Amer. Lit.) "Do you agree with Emerson that imitation is suicide?"

Russell Johnson: "No, because then there would be too many deaths."

The average man is always wondering what others think of him and the chances are the others never give him a thought.

Customer: "I say, do you ever play anything by request?"

Delighted musician: "Certainly sir."

Customer: "Then I wonder if you'd be so good as to play a game of dominoes until I've finished my lunch?"

Some people are so funny that they make others sad.

Selfish people never laugh except at the expense of the others.

"Did you deliver my message to Mr. Smith, Gerald?" asked his father.

"No, sir," replied Gerald. "He was out, and his office was locked up."

"Why didn't you wait for him, as I told you to do?"

"There was a notice on the door, sir, saying 'Return Immediately,' so I came back here as quickly as I could. One is apt to strike a happy vein in the vicinity of the funny bone."

It's the fellow who minds his "p's" and "q's" who sleeps on flowery beds of "e's."

TEN REASONS WHY.

Ten reasons why ex-service men should join the American Legion are as follows:

1. The American Legion of Michigan, through its Welfare Department, secured insurance, compensation, etc., for ex-service men, totalling over \$5,000,000.00 in 1921. Your membership will help clean up all just claims by the end of 1922.
2. The American Legion of Michigan conducts at Battle Creek the only tuberculosis hospital in the country operated by veterans for veterans. Every employee a veteran of the world war, every patient your comrade.
3. The American Legion in its educational campaign for Americanism

is doing much to preserve our national holidays and keep sacred the memory of our war dead.

4. The American Legion is the only organization large enough to secure proper legislation, state and national. The Legion maintains a committee at Washington for your benefit.
5. The American Legion is recalling to veterans and other Americans their individual responsibility and the necessity of eternal vigilance to make a better community, state and nation.
6. Judge Landis, that fearless square deal American, says: "The American Legion is the greatest organization for American citizenship this country has ever known."
7. The Legion does not ask a man whether he is a capitalist or a laborer, union or non-union. Samuel Gompers says: "It is unconceivable that there should be a conflict between the Legion and organized labor."
8. A leading newspaper with a national circulation says: "In the years to come, as says the Legion, so says the nation; as goes the Legion, so goes the nation."
9. In the Legion you come in contact with the leading men of the nation and of your community.
10. In the Legion there is no rank, distinction or difference. The only organization chartered by congress. Said a judge of the Common Pleas Court of Hamilton county, Ohio, in making the American Legion trustee of a \$100,000.00 hospital fund: "The American Legion is the only all-inclusive national organization, AND IS IN A CLASS BY ITSELF."

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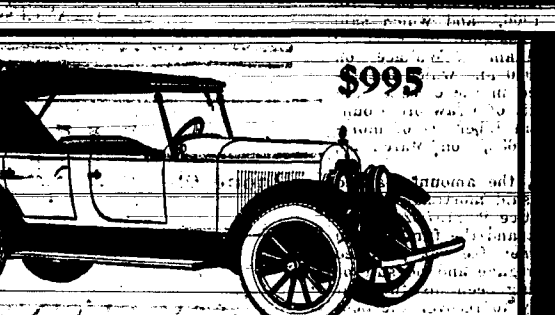
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Michigan Happenings

An important state precedent has been made by the Michigan Industrial Accident Board in the case of Mrs. Albert Smith, Kalamazoo, who has been awarded \$4,500 compensation for the death of her husband September 30, on the crossing at the River Paper mill. Smith was driving to work at the mill. Rain prevented him seeing the approach of the train. The insurance company contested the widow's claim, but the board held that the compensation act covers employees on their way to work as well as those actually engaged at their regular employment.

After 45 years as president of the local W. C. T. U., Mrs. Mary B. Dickie, wife of President Emeritus Samuel Dickie, of Albion college, has resigned. When Dr. Dickie was superintendent of schools Hastings, from 1873 to 1877, Mrs. Dickie became leader of the "Red Ribbon" society, which was the forerunner of the W. C. T. U. When Dr. Dickie, who came to Albion college, his wife was chosen head of the local dry organization. Mrs. Harvey G. Pearce has been named to succeed Mrs. Dickie.

A request from the state welfare commission of American Legion that \$5,000 be appropriated for assisting wives and children of disabled war veterans and \$24,000 to replace money already spent by the legion in aiding veterans has been received at Lansing by the state administrative board. The commission asked that the appropriations be made from the state war preparedness fund. The matter was referred to a committee.

Twenty minutes after the jurors retired at 4:30 o'clock April 19, they brought in a verdict finding John Duval Dodge, Detroit millionaire, and Rex Earl, of Kalamazoo, guilty of possessing, transporting and furnishing intoxicating liquors. Attorney Harry Howard, of counsel for the defense, asked a stay of sentence to file a motion for a new trial. It was granted. The trial was held at Kalamazoo.

Fire, caused by a printer's blow torch, destroyed the \$50,000 home of George B. Yerkes, former prosecuting attorney for Wayne county, near Northville. Village water mains do not extend to the residence and the fire department was unable to fight the flames. A water supply system on the farm failed. Furniture was salvaged. Insurance partially covers the loss.

After following to an end, another clue, which at first, apparently accounted for the whereabouts of Jerome Dickinson, 19-year-old netting maker of the Church of the Ascension, of Ontonagon, who disappeared April 4, W. M. Dickinson, of Detroit, his father, announced he had little hope of finding his son alive. He believes the young clergyman drowned in Lake Superior.

All state institutions and departments will be informed by order of the state administrative board that overdrafts on appropriations for this year will be deducted from appropriations for next year. This means that institutions or departments overdrawing their appropriation will be spending their own money and have that much less to spend next year.

Reuben Johnson of Albion charged with attempted murder in connection with the shooting of Deputy Sheriff R. S. Scott and Robert Howett at Albion April 1, after the officers made a liquor raid, pleaded guilty before Judge Walter H. North in Circuit Court and was sentenced to 16 to 30 years at Marquette Prison, with a recommendation of 21.

Robert Barney, Traverse City farmer and banker, has received notice of his appointment by Governor Alex J. Groesbeck as a member of the state fair commission, succeeding Perry P. Powers, of Cadillac.

William Shakespeare, Jr., former city commissioner, has been named by the Kalamazoo city commission to succeed Commissioner Paul T. Butler, recently resigned.

Although the house was split in two, and 29 windows were broken when it was struck by lightning, none of the family of Thomas Pope, living near Cedar, was injured.

May 1 to 6 inclusive will be "Made in Pontiac" week and samples of products manufactured in Pontiac will be displayed in the store windows.

Sam Williams, 24 years old, a Greek waiter, of Flint, must serve 65 days in the Detroit house of correction for filching with a 15-year-old girl.

At a meeting of the Congregational church body of Read City the proposition to unite the church properties of the Methodists and the Congregationalists was passed. The proposal now goes to the Methodists to act upon.

John Bowen, Almont, whose neck was broken by a fall from a load of hay, will recover, according to physicians. The bones were put back in place, and he can now move his limbs.

An investigation to determine how many employees of the state office building at Lansing can be cut from the payroll has been ordered by the state administrative board. A report was filed with the board to the effect that there is, in many instances, a duplication of functions, messengers and telephone operators.

O. B. Thompson, 84, superintendent of the public school at Romeo for 48 years and for 10 years, Marquette, died at his home at Romeo April 18.

Winter wheat escaped serious injury during the winter and is in favorable condition compared with other states, a report by Verne H. Church of the federal-state bureau of farm crop estimates says. The report gives the condition of Michigan winter wheat as 83, against 90 a year ago and 76.4, the average for the United States. Rye suffered even less than wheat. The present condition equals the 10-year average of 98, although 4 points lower than a year ago. The number of brood sows now on farms is estimated to be 7 per cent higher than one year ago.

Every member of the Allegan county highway commission has tendered his resignation, following the filing of sensational charges by the board of supervisors. The accused officials are William McCarr, Louis McLoud and Elmer Gable. It is charged that the highway commission, after rejecting bids, let contracts to Hartley Gable, son of Commissioner Gable, to William Morgan, son-in-law of Commissioner McCarr, and to William McLoud, son of Commissioner McLoud.

Judge L. Burget Desvoignes dismissed the \$800 suit, brought by the Hudson Bay company, of Regina, Alberta, against the Paw Paw Savings bank. The suit was based on a certificate of deposit, drawn on the Paw Paw bank, and stolen from a mail pouch, at Kalamazoo, in October, 1920. It was the first intimation the postal officials at Kalamazoo have had that any of the \$20,000 worth of securities stolen from the mail bag had been cashed.

In the spring of 1887, 35 years ago, there were 500,000,000 feet of logs in the drive on the Menominee river. This represented the cut of the lumber companies at that time operating sawmills at Menominee and Marquette. The drive was the largest in the history of the river and about 500 men were employed in the work. Each year the drive has decreased. All the timber now goes from the camps to the mills over the railroads.

Establishment of an orphan's home to house children of deceased World War veterans and to provide proper educational facilities for its inmates until they are old enough to make a proper livelihood for themselves is a development of the near future, if plans now being formulated by the state offices of the American Legion are carried to completion.

Earl E. Combs, Ypsilanti piano salesman, died from loss of blood following an automobile collision in which an artery in his elbow was severed. The injury was at first thought slight, and he was believed recovering at the Boyer hospital when he took a sudden turn for the worse.

Application of the Interstate Utilities company for the right to issue \$500,000 worth of securities with which to take up the stock of seven small gas companies in southwestern Michigan and Indiana, was denied by the public utilities commission.

An attempt will be made to get sufficient signers to guarantee at least one hundred acres of strawberries and raspberries, so that Grand Traverse region may branch forth into the small fruit business with proper shipping and marketing facilities.

Michigan Democrats, in the closing session of their state advisory convention in Grand Rapids, April 19, adopted a tentative platform and recommended ex-Governor Woodbridge N. Ferris as a candidate for the United States senate.

Prosecutor R. D. Matthews has asked the Shiawassee board of supervisors for authority to pay \$25 reward to any person not an officer who supplies information on which a conviction for violation of the prohibition law is secured.

More than 1,300 delegates are expected at Albion June 21-23, for the annual state Epworth League institute, which has grown to large proportions under the leadership of Bishop Theodore S. Henderson of Detroit.

Vern Cairns, of Kalamazoo, has filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in United States district court at Grand Rapids setting forth liabilities of \$1,700, with assets of \$105, which he declares exempt.

The state primary school fund will receive \$8,769,567, from taxes on railroad properties, telephone and telegraph companies and other utilities this year, it was announced by the state board of assessors.

Rensselaer Smith, the oldest man in Allegan county and believed to have been the fifth oldest man in Michigan, died at his home at Plainwell, April 16. He was 101 years of age last January 24.

By reducing its teaching staff by four, the Muskegon Heights board of education has cut the total salary list by \$5,500 for the coming year. At the same time it has boosted the pay of those retained so that the average salary for women teachers will be \$1,500, said to be the average for women teachers in Michigan high schools.

Postmaster A. Thorne Swift, of Harbor Springs, 47 years old, died suddenly at his home following a stroke of apoplexy.

A combined engineering and business administration course is announced for the Michigan Agricultural college for the next school year. The course is a development of President David Friday's plans for strengthening the technical departments of the college.

Reuben Olsen, Whitehall, has been named defendant in a \$5,000 damage suit filed in circuit court at Grand Rapids by Henry Fisher of that city, who charges alienation of the affections of Mrs. Fisher.

"SELL MICHIGAN TO WOLVERINES"

CAMPAIGN TO BOOST STATE TO HOME FOLKS OPENS IN DETROIT MAY 1.

WILL VISIT PRINCIPAL CITIES

Speakers to Set Forth Matters of Interest and Future Development of Michigan.

Detroit—This city will be the starting point for the state-wide campaign of education to be undertaken by organizations interested in Michigan development projects the first week in May. Arrangements now are complete, the speakers have been chosen and the itinerary arranged for the program of "Selling Michigan to Wolverines."

The Detroit Board of Commerce building will be the scene of the first meeting, the evening of Monday, May 1, when a galaxy of speakers from all parts of the state will set forth matters of interest pertaining to the particular districts in the body that participate together with the educational.

The program of meetings in the principal cities of Michigan is announced as follows:

Monday, May 2—Noon, Jackson; night, Battle Creek.

Tuesday—Noon, Kalamazoo; night, Grand Rapids.

Wednesday—Noon, Lansing; night, Flint.

Thursday—Noon, Bay City; night, Saginaw.

Saturday—Noon, Port Huron.

The speakers will include George E. Bishop, Marquette, secretary-manager of the Upper Peninsula Development bureau; T. F. Marston, Bay City, secretary-manager Northeastern Michigan Development bureau; John I. Gibson, Battle Creek, former secretary Western Michigan Development bureau; John A. Doelle, commissioner of agriculture; Hugh H. Gray, Grand Rapids, secretary-manager Michigan Tourist and Resort association; John L. Lovett, manager Michigan Manufacturers' association; W. P. Hartman, deputy commissioner of agriculture, who will discuss markets; Captain W. S. Gilbreath, secretary Michigan Pike association; Ezra Levin, deputy in state department of agriculture; Albert Stoll, Jr., secretary of the department of conservation, and L. C. Batdorf, executive secretary of the Michigan Real Estate association.

Dr. David Friday, now president of the Michigan Agricultural college, has been invited to accompany the party and probably will accept. Each speaker will be limited to five minutes. He will discuss not only present conditions, but future development. It is the hope of the sponsors of the movement that the campaign will lead to a better appreciation on the part of Michigan citizens of the state's present greatness and its possibilities.

TERIFIC BLAST KILLS MANY

Serbian City Rocked By Explosion of 400 Cars of Ammunition.

Belgrade, Four hundred carloads of ammunition and high explosive stored near the railroad station at Monastir, southern Serbia, exploded, killing several hundred persons, wounding thousands and virtually destroying the heart of the city. One half of the city's population was rendered homeless.

The victims were mostly children and soldiers. A church in which the children were worshipping collapsed under the detonation, while the barracks in which 1,800 soldiers were having lunch was destroyed.

SEIZE LINER'S CARGO OF DRUGS

\$200,000 Contraband Shipment Found On China Mail Boat Nanking.

San Francisco—A contraband shipment of 14,000 tins of opium and other drugs, valued at \$200,000 was seized April 20 on the China Mail company liner Nanking. The Nanking arrived from the Far East April 16. The seizure was one of the biggest in the history of the port of San Francisco.

ASKS DISMISSAL OF OUSTER

Lapeer Sheriff Files Answer to Supreme Court Writ.

Lansing—Ray Baker, sheriff of Lapeer county, has filed an answer to the writ issued by the state supreme court requesting him to show cause why he should not vacate office. Baker merely asked that the order removing him from office be dismissed.

Famous Site for Cathedral

Washington—Donation of 137 acres of valuable city property to complete the site for the National Cathedral here was announced at the annual meeting of the National Cathedral association. Canon and Mrs. J. Townsend Russell were the donors of the property which had been successively the home of Admiral Dewey, Senators Dixon, of Montana, and Brady, of Idaho, and Secretary of War Baker. The tract has been valued at upwards of \$400,000.

Portugal-Brazil Flyers Wrecked.

Rio Janeiro—The Portuguese aviators who were attempting a flight from Portugal to Brazil will be unable to proceed in their hydro-airplane from St. Paul Rocks a few hundred miles short of their goal on the American continent where they landed because of an accident to their machine, says a Havas dispatch from Pernambuco. Captains Coutinho and Sacadura made the trip from Cape Verde islands to St. Paul Rocks in 18 hours. The estimated distance is approximately 900 miles.

SAYS RUSSO-GERMAN PACT NOT A MILITARY ALLIANCE



DR. WALTER RATHENAU

Genoa—Walter Rathenau, head of the German delegation, in a statement has denied that the Russo-German treaty contained any secret clauses.

"Especially there is no clause providing for a military alliance between the two countries," he declared.

"Germany and Russia have agreed as a result of the conference, that they will not cancel the treaty," Rathenau continued. "You can not make this too strong. We will maintain the treaty."

The German leader was indignant over a rumor that has been spread to the effect that there has been a split in the German delegation. The rumor had it that Chancellor Wirth and Rathenau had broken.

"The rumor is absolutely unfounded," Rathenau said. "The whole delegation is absolutely unanimous."

RUSSIA REFUSES TO PAY ALLIES

Declare "Debts Represent Expenditures of Allies On Own Enterprise."

Genoa—Russia refuses to recognize the debts contracted by the czarist government during the war and later by the Kerensky government.

In their answer to the Allied demands, the envoys of Soviet Russia asserted that they cannot meet the conditions laid down for them.

In giving its reason for refusing to pay the war-time debts, the soviet government states:

"The war-time debts represent the expenditures of the allies on their own enterprise, whose successful conclusions resulted in territorial aggrandizement and enormous profits, whereas Russia secured nothing. For this reason we do not consider these expenditures debts and must, on principle, refuse to pay them."

The announcement had the effect of another bombshell in the allied camp.

SAYS JACKSON PRISON CROWDED

Warden Hurlburt Declares Opposition to Transfer of Prisoners.

Jackson—Warden Hurlburt, of Jackson prison, has voiced disapproval of the proposal to transfer incorrigible inmates from the Detroit house of correction to the local penal institution.

The warden declared he had lodged a protest with Governor Groesbeck. "I do not believe that it is the intention of the governor or any one else to transfer prisoners here from Detroit or any other place," he said. "I have asked the governor to leave us alone. I have also suggested that he instruct judges to send short timers to Lonia."

The warden declared that there were 1,731 prisoners confined in the prison. This is almost double the number the place was constructed to accommodate.

CAN MARRY WITH \$100 SALARY

Chicago Judge Says Couple Can Get Along With Love.

Chicago—One hundred dollars a month is salary enough to get married on, Judge A. C. Adams declared in the court of domestic relations after an analysis of hundreds of cases of domestic infelicity. "A young man with a salary of \$100 a month can safely marry—if the woman he chooses is the right type," said the judge. "Any couple can get along on \$100 a month if they love one another."

6 Pay to Conscience Fund.

Washington—Spring is having its effect on guilty consciences, according to treasury officials, who have announced the recent receipt of five donations to the "conscience fund." The receipts consisted of a two cent stamp from an Iowa town, \$25 in cash from "an old soldier" from another point in Iowa, \$1 in cash from Indianapolis, \$10 in cash from Troy, N. Y., and a \$20 money order from Memphis, Tenn. The money was turned over to the general fund.

Bryan to Foresee Chautauqua.

Grand Haven, Mich.—William Jennings Bryan, who came here from Miami, Fla., to deliver a Chautauqua lecture, announced his lecture in Chicago will be his final under Chautauqua or other bureau direction. Discussing the problem of the "flapper" and "shifter" type of young woman, he said they never would be improved by killing them what they should do.

"They must be shown what is right in such a manner that they will choose the better way on their own decisions," he said.

To Pedal Through Europe.

Muskegon, Mich.—While other Muskegon girls are toiling about pleasant summer resorts this year, Miss Helen Hoyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orin Royce of this city, will be pedaling her way through Europe on a bicycle. Miss Royce, junior in the University of Chicago, recently sailed from New York and will join her sister, Mrs. S. G. Hubbard of Paris, whose husband was with the grave registration service in France following the war. The three will make a tour of Germany, France, Switzerland and Italy.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Fliers Killed in Nose Dive. Dallas, Texas—Captain G. S. Little and Sergeant James L. Johnson, army fliers from Kelly field, San Antonio, were killed here when the aeroplane in which they were riding went into a nose dive at a height of about 100 feet.

Youthful Bandits Get Peanuts. Seattle, Wash.—City and harbor police are search for a juvenile band of pirates who raided the Pacific Oil Mills plant on the east waterway, after cutting a hole through the floor of a warehouse, and escaped with a skiffload of peanuts.

Worked 69 Years for Road. Chicago—After working for one organization continuously for 69 years, Frank Knight retired from the service of the Burlington & Quincy railroad at the age of 34. He is in possession of all his faculties, has never used liquor and has not used tobacco for 75 years.

Over 1200 Jailed in India. Bombay—After a month's operations throughout the Punjab, the work of cleaning up the Akali bands has been completed successfully. The total arrests during the period are between 1,200 and 1,400, including practically all the ring leaders of the active bands.

Gets Fish But Loses Teeth. Southend, Eng.—An angler toiled a whole afternoon on Southend pier-head and caught nothing. Then a fine mullet was seen dangling on the end of his line. He opened his mouth with a shout of joy and his recently fitted set of teeth worth \$50 fell into the deep and was lost.

Wanted to Guide from "Above." Newark, N. J.—Mrs. Maud Fancher, who swallowed poison after having killed her infant son, died in a Newark hospital. In notes written to her husband, Harmond Fancher, she declared that her deed was prompted by her desire to assist him and promised to "guide him from the other side."

Nurse Kissed Interns; Dismissed. Jersey City, N. J.—Following charges that she had been seen to kiss Dr. John O'Neil, an intern, in one of the bath rooms of the institution while a patient lay dying in an adjoining room, Miss Mena King, a nurse, was dismissed from the Jersey City isolation hospital by Mayor Frank Hague.

Two Killed in Burning Ship. Gadsden, Ala.—A switch engine, employed in hunting "pots" in the Washburn furnace here, ran over the end of a slag pile and plunged downward 75 feet into a pit of burning slag. The engineer, Charles House, and a Negro fireman, Dave Elgin, went down with the engine. There was a great sizzle and splash, and that was all.

Weeks Plans Oriental Trip. Washington—Secretary Weeks hopes to visit the Philippine islands this summer if possible for him to make the trip to Japan for the annual reunion of his class at the naval academy. The class reunion is to be held in Tokyo at the invitation of Admiral Uriu of the Japanese navy, who graduated at Annapolis in 1881.

Landlords Plead For Tenants. Chicago—As evidence of vacant apartments for the first time since before the war, Chicago landlords are offering a month's rent free to obtain tenants in certain localities, according to R. J. Pole, secretary of the council living costs committee. He said this was the first sign that lower rents might be expected soon.

Canadians Enter Through Store. Syracuse—Accused of using his grocery store at Jamerson's Line, on the Canadian border, as a secret channel through which hundreds of immigrants have skipped illegally into the United States, Harry Gordon pleaded guilty in Federal court here. He was fined \$125 and committed to jail for one day. The back-door of the store is in Canada and the front in the United States.

Predicts Movies By Radio Soon. Chicago—Transmission of both motion pictures and music by radio to the homes of the present generation was predicted in a speech by E. L. Eastman, director of the KYW Radio Station. "We have sent pictures by wire already," he said, "and anything that can be sent by wire can be sent by radio. It is possible already to send two different things over the same wave length. Pictures will come next."

Swiss Butler Declared Sane. New York—August Probat, Swiss butler who charged he was being "railroaded" out of the country because he had a love affair with a society girl at the Rolling Rock club, just outside Pittsburgh, won a victory in his special examination on Ellis Island, Bernard H. Sandler his counsel, declaring the board ruled in favor of his client. Probat was not termed insane in the findings of the special board which investigated his case, Mr. Sandler said.

Foch Was One of Them. "Why an honorary member, wasn't one of the men from Tarbes who fought during the war?" said Marshal Foch when he was asked to become an honorary member of the Tarbes, France, Federation of Former Combatants, a French organization similar to the American Legion. The latter outfit thought the Marshal was so much one of them that they made him an active member in George Washington post of Washington, D. C., the first Legion post organized when he was on tour in this country.

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THE AMERICAN LEGION

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OHNLINGER A VALUABLE MAN

Former Intelligence Officer, Frustrated Many Anti-American Activities During War.

The name of Gustavus Ohnlinger might have meant something to the Kaiser during the war, and it did. The German societies that were rampant during the period knew well Captain Gustavus Ohnlinger of the intelligence department of the United States. He broke up their meetings and many of these societies and their activities ceased to operate by reason of his learning so much of their propaganda and plotting.

His home is in Toledo, O., where the American Legion has as its commander this sage Gustavus Ohnlinger. The Legion convention was in full blast in his home city when a wealthy Toledoan burst in and announced that he would pay the entire expense of the ex-service men's gathering if they would drop their bonus stand. What Ohnlinger told him was never learned from a five-foot shelf, but it was good enough to cause a hurried exit on the part of the Toledo business man.

That's why the Legionnaires like him. Kid gloves might be alright to use sometimes, but Ohnlinger doesn't draw them on when he tackles Legion problems.

Born of German parentage in China, a close friend of the late Theodore Roosevelt, world-traveler and famed as having ridden a bicycle across South Africa are a few of the things that show why "Gus" stands as high with the Legion men and also why he must be reckoned with by any group whose Americanism is questionable.

It is said that every town and village in Indiana boasts at least one author whose writings have won some degree of fame in the literary world. Heured in this atmosphere so favorable to scribbles, it was inevitable that Hoosier members of the American Legion should desire some medium of expression for their Legion ideas.

The result was the establishment of the Hoosier Legionnaire, which recently started publication with a circulation of 32,000.

Philip B. Stapp of Greensburg, formerly editor of the Hoar Glass, overseas publication of the "Sauntering Seventh" division, is editor of the Indiana publication. A delegate to the Paris caucus of the Legion, Stapp was appointed a member of the first national publicity committee of the Legion. During his 26 months of service in the war, Stapp rose from "buck private" to a commissioned officer in the field artillery.

The newspaper is sent to all Indiana Legionnaires every week.

MANY "OUT OF COMMISSION"

Nearly Dozen Destroyers Which Were Coveted Gold Star on Stocks, Are Doomed.

A typewriter has at last defeated nearly a dozen of the destroyers which for four years zigzagged through the North sea and in the submarine zone of the Atlantic and gained notable victories over German submarines. The coveted gold stars, worn on the stocks, where all might see and know that a German sub had met death, were awarded the Parker, O'Brien, Cummings, Porter, Davis and many others which have been ordered "out of commission" by the Navy department.

"Out of commission" means nothing more or less than that the fast growing navy junk pile grows higher. Never again, probably, will these greyhounds of the deep circle around a fleet of transports, suddenly dive off to one side, sweep back again, drop a depth bomb, and then watch the oil come to surface that shows another German submarine has gone down to visit Davy Jones.

The thrills of the deeds of these "star" destroyers are a bit overhauled by the news that the Shaw is slated for the scrap heap, too. She was escorting the huge British transport Aquitania when the rudder jammed and the giant ship ran her down. The Jacob Jones also brings back memories. She is named for the first tilted torpedo boat of that name which was sunk while battling in the submarine zone.

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Carrying On With the American Legion

It rained \$500 for the Legion in Toronto recently. Insurance was taken out against more than 10-100 of an inch on a celebration day. The precipitation was 14-100.

Bronze doors will lead into the \$250,000 memorial hall to be erected at Centennial, Wash., in honor of the four American Legion men who were killed by I. W. W. members in that city.

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WHY SOUSA JOINED LEGION

The Noted Bandmaster Says He Thinks It Is a "Rattling Good" Organization.

"I joined the Legion because I had a right to, being in the navy, and I did so because I think it is a rattling good organization," says John Phillip Sousa, bandmaster extraordinary and leader of the mammoth naval band at the Great Lakes naval training station during the war.

The Legion and its activities are being spread into all parts of the world by the band leader's men. Thirty-two of the master musicians who make up the Sousa organization are ex-service men, and nearly all are affiliated with the Legion. They come from every part of the country and saw service in every branch of this country's military organization during the war.

When Sousa took hold of the Great Lakes band it was a group of sailors, whose right to play under him could have come only with their enlisting with the crowd that "took 'em over." What he did with this group of musical talent became known the country over. What they learned under Sousa couldn't have been learned anywhere else, and the finer points of the musician's art are being shown to the legions of Legion posts whose personnel is made up of one or more of the gobs who made up the largest service band of the many brought into being during the war.

THE GIRL, A HORSE AND A DOG

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CHAPTER XVII.—Continued.

"Would you have believed him?" I asked, grinning across the table at Beasley.

"It'd a been a question of veracity, as the court says; with maybe you and Al Twombly too dead to testify." At this, Daddy, who had been eating like a man half-starved, put in his word.

"I reckon you can't get at them gals out higher up, Stannie, but if you don't shove Charley Bullerton just about as far as the law'll allow, I'm going to call ye a quitter."

At that moment Jeanie had just brought in another heaping plate of the luscious corn cakes, and I was looking at her when I replied.

"We'll see about the shoving a bit later, Daddy. The first thing to do is to put the old case away in shape to sell us out some money. I'm broke, you know."

When I made this admission, Beasley, the last man in the world from whom help could come, I should have said, looked me squarely in the eyes.

"Stannie Broughton—if that's your name, you ain't so daddled crazy as you look and act," he remarked. "Money's what talks. Are you aimin' to swing onto this thing with your own hands—for keeps—I mean—not to sell it out to the first set of minin' sharps that comes along?"

"Sure—I was said it; I'm going to keep it and work it—after I get out of the jail where you're going to land me for pilchering that inspection car and getting it smashed. Why else did I start out blindfolded to hunt for a girl, a horse and a dog?"

He let the latter half of my reply go without comment, charging it up to some last-lingered remains of the craziness, perhaps.

"Well, let's see about where you'd crack your whip first," he invited.

"That part of it is easy," I laughed. "What I don't know about the practical end of the mining job would lead up a real, for-sure miner, of course."

"Nothin' so awfully crazy about that," he granted. Then: "What's the matter with Al Twombly, here, for your boss miner?"

"Not a thing in the wide world—except that he can't be because he is going to be my partner in the deal."

"Now you're talkin' a whole heap like a white man," said the desperado. "Dog-goned if I don't believe you are white! What do you say to givin' me a whack at the bossin' job?"

I took just one little glance at Daddy, and the mild blue eyes said "yes."

"But you've got me under arrest, Mr. Beasley," I pointed out, just to see what he'd say. "You can't just very well close a business deal with your prisoner, can you?"

"Kill two or three birds with the one rock," he mumbled, examining the striped half of his breakfast-fishing corn cake into his capacious mouth.

"I'll chase you down to Angels and turn you over to the sanctity of the law—the same kind by name, old Squire Broughton. Then I'll jump my job of sortin' out the bad angels from amongst the good angels and go out and rustle your ball. Time old Bill Dubbin's chewin' over the law in such cases made and perilled—like he's

been doin'—I'll scrape up a bunch of men and start 'em up here ways to beg in the repairs. How does all that strike you?"

"If my laugh was a bit grin there was a warrant for it."

"It strikes me fair in the empty pocket, my good friend," I told him. "Just at this present moment I couldn't finance one solitary lonesome carpenter—to say nothing of a gang of them, with half a dozen steam-fitters and boiler-makers thrown in."

"Huh! workin' capital, you mean? That's about the easiest thing this side of findin' a mine like the old Cinnabar—with no more water in it than what can be pumped out—to back you. I reckon your title to the property's all right, ain't it?"

"It is! I have a deed from my grand-father. So much I saw, but I didn't go on to explain how the quick wit of a girl who now hated me had saved that deed from being a mere scrap of waste paper. Not that I knew how she had done it—but the tangible fact was safely in my pocket."

Fifteen minutes after this break-

fast table talk I was bidding a temporary good-by to the wreck on the Cinnabar ledge, and was about to take the road to Atropia with Beasley; both of us intent upon catching a way-freight to Angels. Daddy had lent me the plebeian pony for the ride to the railroad station—this either with or without Jeanie's consent; I didn't know and forbore to ask—and the harlequin-faced dog was ready to trot at the pony's heels. But the blue-eyed maiden had shut herself up in her room, and I thought she wasn't going to come out and see me off.

At the final moment, however, after Beasley had already steered his nag across the dump head, and I was about to climb into my saddle, she came to the cabin door, and was both curiously embarrassed and a bit breathless.

"Please—one minute!" she begged; and as I took my foot out of the stirrup: "Do you know what they have done with—with?"

"With Bullerton?" I helped out. "No, I don't know; but I suppose they've taken him on to the county seat at Copah with the others."

"Then—then—please let him go! If you refuse to prosecute—"

"Make yourself entirely easy," I broke in, a bit sourly, maybe. "I'll agree not to play the part of the dog in the manger."

"Thank you—so much!" she murmured; and then she backed away quickly and went in and on through to the kitchen, leaving me to follow Beasley, which I did, with the sour humor telling me that of all the puzzling, unaccountable things in a world of enigmas, a woman's vagaries were the least understandable. For, after all was said and done, and after all that had happened and been made to happen, it seemed to be palpably apparent that Jeanie Twombly was still in love with the jeet.

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road station Buddy Fuller, the operator, ran out to hand me a telegram. Since it was too dark to see to read it, and I supposed, naturally, that it was nothing more important than a bid from some machinery firm anxious to supply our needs, I thought it might wait, stuck it into my pocket—and promptly forgot it.

Our talk, as we rode together up the now familiar trail, was chiefly of business; the business of reopening the mine; and it was not until we were nearing our destination that the ex-marshall said:

"Still stickin' in your craw that you ain't a-goin' to pop the whip at Charley Bullerton?"

"It is," I answered.

"Well, now, why not?"

"Principally because I have promised somebody that I wouldn't prosecute."

"Not Al Twombly; he'd never ast you to do anything like that."

"No; not Daddy Hiram."

"He didn't press the matter any further, and we rode on in silence. As

"I wish, now, it hadn't been saved!" she exclaimed, as vindictively as you please.

"Truly, I thought, the ways of women are past finding out; or at least the way of a maid with a man is."

"Can't I say anything at all without putting my foot into it?" I asked in despair.

"You break a man's back with a load of obligation one day, and toss him lightly out of your young life the next! I haven't done anything to earn you—to earn the back of your hand, Jeanie, or if I have, I don't know."

"You had it!" she retorted, with a vengeance. "I committed the unpardonable sin," she accused coolly. "I don't wonder that Miss Rangle took your ring off."

"I wasn't going to let the talk shift to Lisette; not if I knew it, and could help it."

"What is the unpardonable sin?" I asked.

"To misunderstand: to think a person capable of a thing when a person is not; to—just take it—for granted that a person is gullible—oh—with a little stamp of her foot—I can't bear to talk about it!"

I guess it's a part of a man's equipment to be dense and sort of stupid in his dealings with women, I mean. Slowly, so slowly that I thought the catch would never snap and hold, my foot mind crept back along the line, searching blindly for the point at which all this fiery indignation toward me had begun; back and still back to that moment of our deliberation—

Daddy Hiram met us at the door of his newly repaired cabin across the dump head and insisted upon taking care of the horses. Beasley and I washed up at the outdoor, bench-and-basin lavatory; and when we went in, Jeanie had supper ready for us.

She didn't sit at table with us—from which I argued that she and her father had already eaten—and I thought she purposely avoided me; avoided meeting my eye, at least. I didn't wonder at it. Her position, as I had it figured out, was rather awkwardly anomalous. By this time, I had fully convinced myself that she was in love with Bullerton, and was probably engaged to be married to him; and that it was only her native honesty that had driven her to take sides against him in the struggle for the Cinnabar, prompting her to do the one thing which had knocked his nefarious scheme on the head—namely, the recording of my deed.

Knowing nothing but hard work, Daddy Hiram was running the deep-draw pumps himself, or rather, taking the night shift on them; and about ten o'clock, just as I had made up my mind to go to bed and let the repairing activities take care of themselves, I saw Jeanie going over to the boiler shed with a pot of freshly made coffee for her father. Here was my chance, I thought; so I waited and cornered her as she came back.

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It was awkward for both of us, standing there before the open cabin door, and I pointed to the bench where Daddy Hiram was wont to smoke his evening pipe in good weather.

"Won't you sit down until we can sort of dull it out?" I begged.

"It's no use, whatever," she objected; nevertheless, she did sit down and let me sit beside her.

"I know just how distressed you must be," I began, "and perhaps I can lift a bit of the load from your shoulders. There will be no legal steps taken against you—against Charley Bullerton."

"Thank you," she said; just as short as that.

"And that isn't all," I went on. "After we get into the ore and have some real money to show for it, I'm going to make over a share in the Cinnabar to your father and put him in a position to do the right thing by you when you marry. And he'll do it; you know he'll do it."

"How kind!" she murmured, looking straight out in front of her.

"It isn't kindness; it's bare justice. Between you, you two have saved my legacy for me."

"I wish, now, it hadn't been saved!" she exclaimed, as vindictively as you please.

"Truly, I thought, the ways of women are past finding out; or at least the way of a maid with a man is."

"Can't I say anything at all without putting my foot into it?" I asked in despair.

"You break a man's back with a load of obligation one day, and toss him lightly out of your young life the next! I haven't done anything to earn you—to earn the back of your hand, Jeanie, or if I have, I don't know."

"You had it!" she retorted, with a vengeance. "I committed the unpardonable sin," she accused coolly. "I don't wonder that Miss Rangle took your ring off."

"I wasn't going to let the talk shift to Lisette; not if I knew it, and could help it."

"What is the unpardonable sin?" I asked.

"To misunderstand: to think a person capable of a thing when a person is not; to—just take it—for granted that a person is gullible—oh—with a little stamp of her foot—I can't bear to talk about it!"

I guess it's a part of a man's equipment to be dense and sort of stupid in his dealings with women, I mean. Slowly, so slowly that I thought the catch would never snap and hold, my foot mind crept back along the line, searching blindly for the point at which all this fiery indignation toward me had begun; back and still back to that moment of our deliberation—

Daddy Hiram met us at the door of his newly repaired cabin across the dump head and insisted upon taking care of the horses. Beasley and I washed up at the outdoor, bench-and-basin lavatory; and when we went in, Jeanie had supper ready for us.

She didn't sit at table with us—from which I argued that she and her father had already eaten—and I thought she purposely avoided me; avoided meeting my eye, at least. I didn't wonder at it. Her position, as I had it figured out, was rather awkwardly anomalous. By this time, I had fully convinced myself that she was in love with Bullerton, and was probably engaged to be married to him; and that it was only her native honesty that had driven her to take sides against him in the struggle for the Cinnabar, prompting her to do the one thing which had knocked his nefarious scheme on the head—namely, the recording of my deed.

Knowing nothing but hard work, Daddy Hiram was running the deep-draw pumps himself, or rather, taking the night shift on them; and about ten o'clock, just as I had made up my mind to go to bed and let the repairing activities take care of themselves, I saw Jeanie going over to the boiler shed with a pot of freshly made coffee for her father. Here was my chance, I thought; so I waited and cornered her as she came back.

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CUTTING ROADSIDE TREES IL-LEGAL.

Many people are not aware that they cannot cut trees within the public highways without making themselves liable to a fine or imprisonment. In the extra session of the legislature of 1921, a law was passed making it a misdemeanor to cut trees or shrubs within the limits of the public highways in the State of Michigan without a permit from the authorities having jurisdiction over such roads. The State Highway Commissioner has jurisdiction in the case of State Trunk Line and Federal Aided Roads, and Commissioner Rogers is determined that the law shall be strictly enforced as far as such roads are concerned in which he has the operation of the State Department of Public Safety and the county highway authorities.

Some violations of this act have been noticed, due to land owners cutting trees along their frontage in ignorance of this law. It should be understood, however, that the law makes no exceptions and any land owner who cuts trees in the highway along his land is liable to arrest, fine or imprisonment.

Somewhat similar laws have been passed in other states consistent with a progressive conservation policy. The people, not only of Michigan but of the whole country, are beginning to realize that the conservation of our tree growth is a vital necessity and there is a strong sentiment for the planting and preservation of trees along the highways. While trees add greatly to the beauty of a region, they are valuable to the land owners and to the public at large for many other reasons. Trees temper the climate and protect the land from washing; they give shelter to birds, the farmers' best friends; they serve as windbreaks to protect their crops; they furnish fruit, nuts and other food products and when properly conserved furnish a perpetual supply of timber. They add shade and beauty to the highway and add value to the adjoining farm lands by making farm homes more attractive. This may be

a sentimental value but it is none the less real for it is a well known fact that land with trees is more desirable for a home than land lacking this natural attraction.

Michigan derives a large revenue from the summer tourist trade and the conservation of her tree growth is absolutely essential to retain and increase this tourist and resort business.

It is expected that this new law, which not only protects existing roadside trees but also authorizes the planting of desirable trees and shrubs will materially increase the beauty of the highways and benefit the public at large as well as the abutting property owners by making the state more attractive to its residents and to the ever increasing number of people who spend their summer here.

ELDORADO NUGGETS.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weber, Jr., returned to their home in Sandusky last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kreuzer and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartman, and families spent Sunday at the James Williams farm.

The dance at the new South Branch town hall was well attended and everyone had a very enjoyable time.

Norton Williams left Sunday to begin work at the Forestry.

Mansel Cone moved his goods here from near Rose City early this week.

Conrad Wehnes was a Rose City caller Sunday.

Robert Jackson is driving a new Ford.

Wellman Knight has moved to the George Hartman farm, which he has rented.

Mrs. Ibsen of Detroit was a business caller in this vicinity Wednesday.

FREDERIC NEWS.

Mrs. Thomas Lewis is in the hospital at Petoskey doing nicely.

A meat wagon has started here.

Professor Payne is back at school after a week spent visiting outside schools.

Rev. Terhune's sister is here making them a visit. She resides in Flint.

Mrs. B. Peter Johnson was here last week from the county seat making a short call at her home. She is much improved in health.

It is reported we will have another garage in town in the near future.

Charles Armstrong is going to Detroit this week.

Oscar Smock and wife have gone as guests to the good road camp at Pere de ney.

Mrs. Albert Lewis has a brand-new car. Now listen for sweet strains in the evening zephyr.

A brother of Mrs. Delzell is now

contingent their property, formerly the Karmes farm.

Geo. Hunter who had his leg broken last summer is now able to drive team.

Grandma Barber who is almost 90 years old is in very poor health.

SYLVAN CLUB AND CAMP ROMEO NEWS.

Mrs. S. B. Wakeley was called to Detroit Friday owing to the death of her mother who had been suffering from cancer.

A. P. Feldhauser and family motored to Kneeland Sunday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Heath is living in Russell Inn for the present.

John Wakeley picked a large bunch of trailing arbutus Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Landsberg and son Ben and wife called at the home of S. B. Wakeley Sunday.

Mrs. George Clise is visiting at the home of her daughter Mrs. Barton Wakeley.

Our visitors at school this month were John Wakeley and George Hamner.

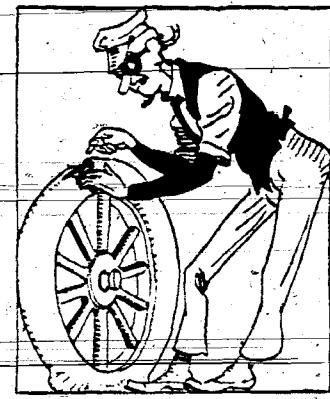
S. B. Wakeley and sons are busily engaged in making boats.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Payson of Toledo, Ohio, arrived here Monday to spend a few weeks at their cottage, and enjoy the fishing.

Mr. Brockman called at the home of A. P. Feldhauser Sunday and while there enjoyed a swim in the river. Ask him about it?

Mrs. Frank Barnes is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. P. Feldhauser.

A. P. Feldhausers are moving into their own home after spending the winter at Sylvan Club.



A man's automobile tire and his reflection usually get punctured at the same time.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. B. J. Callahan of Frederic was in Grayling Tuesday.

H. A. Shields of Gaylord was in Grayling on business Monday.

Howard Granger and Ruben Bebb are driving new Ford touring cars.

Mrs. Poor of Manton visited at the Charles Lytle home last week.

Mrs. R. A. Cooley is in Rosecon on business yesterday and today.

Grayling Rebekah Lodge will hold their regular meeting next Monday evening, May 1st.

The interior of the Simpson grocery is resplendent with a fresh coat of white paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Conklin returned this morning after a couple of days spent in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doroh have moved into the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Hans Anderson.

Benson's Garage will be open for business next Monday May 1st. They will have on hand a line of Fish tires.

Miss Margaret Jensen has purchased the Ford Sedan of Henry Trudo. The latter has purchased a new Nash Coupe.

S. S. Phelps Jr. of Detroit is in the city on business and visiting at the home of his brother-in-law, Holger Hanson.

Howard Dunham of Marquette returned to his home Thursday after visiting at the home of his uncle S. D. Dunham and family.

Fishermen should remember that trout caught on the North branch must be not less than 8 inches in length; 7 inches elsewhere.

The planning mill of Salling Hanson Co., started up Monday morning, after being closed down since last summer. Carl Larson is the foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson and daughter Miss Helga expect to leave tomorrow night for Saginaw to visit the Andrew Anderson family.

G. D. Vallad, Dolph Sancarier and Leon Chappel are all driving new Overlands. Local agent M. A. Atkinson says he has a Willys-Knight on the way.

Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson entertained a number of ladies and gentlemen at her home last evening, the occasion being the 75th birthday anniversary of her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Payson of Toledo, were the first to arrive for the trout fishing season this year. They came Monday and are now at their pretty cottage down the river.

Dixon & Mason, in drama and vaudeville, will show at the Finn Hall on the South side Tuesday night, May 2, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Something new. Admission 20 and 30 cents. Everybody come.

Andrew Brown and family are getting settled in one of the houses on duPont avenue, after the fire having destroyed the residence on McClellan Ave., where they resided. The Charles Schreck family have moved into one of the houses in the vicinity of the Dowel factory.

Mrs. Don M. Howell and daughter Margaret Jean are in Marshall, Wisconsin for a visit with the former's mother Mrs. Sexton. They left Tuesday, the Doctor accompanying them as far as Chicago, expecting to return the latter part of the week, after spending a couple of days visiting his mother in Alma.

A number of members of Portage lodge Knights of Pythias were in attendance at Michelson Memorial service last Sunday morning for a votational service and to listen to a special sermon by Rev. Doty. After the church service they visited Elmwood cemetery where memorial services were held at the graves of deceased members of the local lodge—Milton Simpson, George Belmore, and Dr. Stanley N. Insley.

The Central Drug store that was purchased about a month ago by E. J. Spencer, the new proprietor, will be re-opened May 1st. Since purchasing the business Mr. Olsen has completely renovated the place, re-decorated, put in a new lighting system and made many other improvements. L. H. Allen of Flint, a registered pharmacist, has been engaged for making up prescription orders and assisting in the management of the store. The soda fountain also will be in operation.

One of the display windows of the Lewis Drug store for the past week has been taken up with an exhibition of bird houses built by the Boy Scouts. Also a large chart displays the various knots that are tied with ropes which has attracted a lot of attention. The bird houses are for sale. A number have already been sold and the scouts are still making them and are desirous of selling as many as they can. If there is any particular kind of a birdhouse you want, leave your order at the drug store and the scouts will make them for you.

The Wingard Photo studio has just added new apparatus in the way of an electric printer and electric spot light. The former will greatly expedite the work of printing photos and kodak pictures, and with a fast operator can print in the neighborhood of 400 pictures an hour. This will increase the capacity for turning out work and also enable them to make deliveries much quicker. The spot light is used for back lighting in photography, and adds greatly to the appearance of the photo. With the addition of these electric appliances the Wingard studio exceeds any other in Northern Michigan and the work that is being turned out by them is far superior to that done in even much larger cities than Grayling. The patronage that is accorded this splendid institution is not limited to Grayling only as sittings are frequently made for people from some of our neighboring cities.

The principal topic of conversation in some local circles these days is that of the approaching open season for trout fishing. Next Monday is the day and without a doubt nearly every male inhabitant who is able to get out to the stream that day will do so. The rivers are still quite high and it is a question just where would be the best place to go. Most of us will want to go "way back" where there are more and larger trout (17), while perhaps the younger generation will content to fill their creels in the near-by waters of the AuSable

and the East Branch. The latter is supposed to be up to the annual number. Cottages are being opened preparatory to receive the visiting owners or club members. Large crowds are being looked for to arrive Saturday and Sunday. The several resorts on the main stream and the Douglas hotel on the North Branch at Lovells are already to receive their guests. Mr. Douglas reports that he has reservations to take up the full room capacity of his club house. This means that the busy season for Grayling has begun. Courteous and fair treatment to the visitors will mean that they will continue to come back season after season. Such is the way to fatten the goose that lays the golden eggs.

WANTS

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PIANO FOR SALE—IN GOOD CON-
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MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas, default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the 5th day of March, 1906, executed by Fred Sholts and Belle Sholts his wife, to Eliza J. Brot, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber B of mortgages on page 516, on March 5, 1906, and which said mortgage was assigned by Eliza J. Brot, to William H. Wallace on February 21, 1910 and which assignment is recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber G of mortgages on page 633, on March 28, 1910.

And whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is \$197.92 principal and interest and the further sum of \$25.00 attorney fee as provided for in said mortgage and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale and in pursuance to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court house in the village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, on July 25, 1922, at one o'clock in the afternoon, which premises are described as follows:

The east half of the southeast quarter of section twenty, in township twenty-five, north range three west, comprising one acre of the southeast corner used for school purposes, Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan. Dated April 25, 1922.

William H. Wallace,
 Assignee of Mortgage.

Merle F. Nellist,
 Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage.
 Business address,
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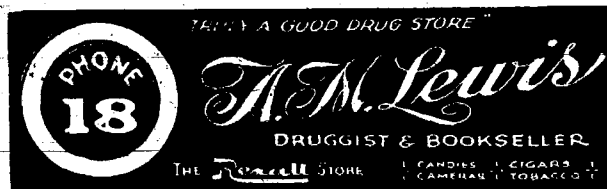
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We endeavor to have everything the farmer needs
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Has his supply of ice for the coming season, and as
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All ice will be washed and placed in your
Refrigerator.

*Having served you for many years, we solicit a continuance
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Now Open for Business in former
Presbyterian church building.

We are now prepared to supply you with the
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Milk, per quart 10c
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We make delivery to all parts of the city. Be-
ginning next week we will be prepared to fur-
nish Ice Cream to stores and retailers. Watch
for the I. X. L. BRAND, and patronize the deal-
ers who sell it. Our Ice Cream will be made
from pure milk and cream and be delicious; and
will contain no gelatin.

We expect that our apparatus for manufacturing
butter will be here soon after which we will be
able to supply you with butter and buttermilk in
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Hours from 7:00 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. daily. Sundays from 8:30
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THE NYAL STORE

CHRIS W. OLSEN, Prop'r

LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1922.

Mrs. George Vincent of Atlanta is
visiting at the home of her sister,
Mrs. Charles Sullivan.

Piano for sale. In good condition;
\$400 instrument for \$125 cash, if tak-
en at once. Max Landsberg.

The officers and members of Gray-
ling Post American Legion are request-
ed to attend the meeting Friday
night.

Miss Norma Lobahn of Cheboygan
was a guest of her cousin, Miss Vella
Herman over Sunday, coming to at-
tend the Junior Prom.

Studebaker Agent Harry Simpson
received two new Studebaker cars
this week, one for himself and the
other for a party in Gaylord.

The Merry Travelers, a musical
comedy, at the school auditorium,
Thursday and Friday evenings of
next week. Don't miss seeing it.

Don't forget the benefit dancing
party for the Boy Scouts tomorrow
night, to be given under auspices of
the Odd Fellows, at Temple Theatre.

J. P. Davidson and son Gordon left
for Chicago the latter part of
the week, expecting to go on to Mil-
waukee to drive home a new Nash tour-
ing car, for the former.

The Home Guards of the Michelson
Memorial church are busy practicing
for a program that is to be given on
the occasion of the opening of their
mitte boxes, in the near future.

O. W. Roesser, a former pharmacist
in the Central Drug Store of this
city, and who moved to Saginaw a
few years ago, is now located in Jo-
hannesburg where he is operating a
drug business.

The new State street bridge cross-
ing the AuSable has been nicely filled
in on both sides and the road cinder-
ed and ready for travel. Julius Nel-
son, street commissioner, says: "This
is one of the finest bridges anywhere
in this section."

A dancing party will be given at
the school gymnasium on Thursday
evening, May 11. The benefit of
the local base ball team, the money
to be used to buy new uniforms.
Everybody turn out and give the
boys your support.

The Bridge club met Saturday af-
ternoon with Mrs. Harry Simpson.
There were sixteen ladies present.
Mrs. J. H. Lamb of Bay City was a
guest of the club. Miss Margrethe
Bauman won the prize for the high-
est score. The hostess served a fine
lunch.

Mrs. R. N. Martin nicely en-
tertained the None Such "500" club at
her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs.
J. A. Holliday held the highest score
and Mrs. T. Kingensmith won the
consolation prize. Mrs. Nelson Cor-
win and Miss Charlotte Flagg were
guests of the club. Mrs. Martin
served a lovely lunch.

Charles O. McCullough, Peter L.
Brown, and Emil Kraus of Grayling,
and Jens Hanson of Beaver Creek
have been summoned to serve on
the Grand jury in the U. S. District
court in Bay City next week. Also
Paul Ziebell, Frank Love and L. B.
Merrill of Beaver Creek have been
chosen to serve on the Traverse jury.
Court opens Tuesday morning.

One of the benefit affairs to be
given for the Boy Scout movement
in Grayling will take place at the
temple theatre, Friday evening, Apr.
28 under the auspices of Grayling
League of Women.

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Last Wednesday as Charles Fehr,
accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Peter
Jorgenson were driving a new Buick
home for Mr. Jorgenson, they were
overtaken by the terrible snow storm
that struck this section during that
night and forced to stay out
all night between here and Roscom-
mon. They continued their journey
homeward the next morning, and were
none worse off for the experience they
had undergone.

A Gaylord woman, Mrs. Martha
Mothersell, met a terrible death
Thursday afternoon of last week, as
she was crossing the railroad track
near the Gaylord depot, when the wa-
gon in which she was riding was
struck by the northbound flyer, train
203. The woman was dragged 150
feet by the train and was instantly
killed. The horses were unhurt, but
the wagon was demolished. The lady
resided on a farm about four miles
from Gaylord with her six children,
who survive her.

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs.
William Lenartz about four miles
from Grayling on the AuSable was
damaged by fire last Sunday. Mr.
and Mrs. Lenartz and some friends
who were spending the day with them
were at dinner, when the roof of the
house was discovered on fire, which
evidently caught from a spark from
the chimney. By the aid of neighbors
the fire was extinguished before it
had gained much headway.

Roderick McLeod, who had resided
around Grayling for a number of
years passed away in this city Wed-
nesday morning of last week at 7:30
o'clock, following a short illness. He
had been employed as night watch-
man at the pin factory. His daughter
Mrs. Clara Browster of Orono was
called here owing to his death and
accompanied the remains to Gladwin
Mich., where funeral services and
burial took place Saturday. The de-
ceased was 77 years old.

Melvin A. Bates has been appointed
branch chairman of Crawford County
for the Citizens Military training
camp, to be held at Camp Custer Au-
gust 2 to September 2. It is expected
that there will be about 3000 young
men in camp from Michigan, Wiscon-
sin and Illinois. Any young man of
good moral habits and is physically fit
is eligible to attend this training
camp. Applications may be made to
Mr. Bates. All expenses and com-
pensation is paid by the federal gov-
ernment.

"Where there is smoke, there is al-
ways fire," so when twenty million
well-known men and women in all
walks of life say Tanlac is a good
medicine, there must be something to
it. A. M. Lewis, druggist.

Fred Lee and family have moved to
Lovells for the summer.

Fresh eggs Saturday at Salling
Hanson Co. store 25c per dozen.

The farmers are busy these days
getting land ready for planting.

The ladies of the W. R. C. will
meet with Mrs. John Mathiesen
Friday, April 28.

A. Parks of Saginaw is at Sunny
Bank club on the AuSable near Lov-
ells for the summer.

Buy your White-House coffee at
27c per pound at Salling Hanson Co.
store. Saturday only.

Messrs. Rueben Bebb and Thor-
wald Peterson motored to Gaylord
Sunday to visit friends.

Misses Bertha Stone and Margaret
Gendron have accepted positions at
Grayling Dowel & Tie Plug Co.

T. E. Douglas of Lovells made a
sight trip to Kenosha Wis., after two
new Nash cars, for local customers.

Installation of officers for Gray-
ling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 has been
postponed until our next regular
meeting in May.

Charles Horan of West Branch is
visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
John Horan. He expects to remain
here indefinitely.

Mrs. A. E. Hendrickson and chil-
dren arrived from Negaunee Friday
of last week, where the family had
been residing the past year.

Mrs. Joseph McLeod entertained
the ladies of the Moose at her home
yesterday afternoon. They will meet
next week with Mrs. Max Landsberg.

Mrs. J. T. Lamb of Bay City has
been the guest of Mrs. A. M. Lewis
since last Friday. Mr. Lamb is join-
ing her here to attend the Junior Prom
that evening.

All the new things in fishing tackle
at Olaf Sorenson & Sons. Be sure
to see our line and sort up your sup-
plies before the fishing season opens
next Monday.

Hendrickson Bros. have built an
addition to their tailoring establish-
ment on the South side. This will
be used for the pressing and clean-
ing department.

White House coffee at 37c per lb.
and nice fresh eggs at 25c per dozen
are grocery specials that you
should take advantage of Saturday,
at Salling Hanson Co. store.

The best protection is a Life Insurance
policy. The time to secure that
protection is today. Write for in-
formation. Phone 682 for in-
formation. Emmet Reel, Agent.

The Dolph Charron family expect
to move to Grand Rapids soon. Mr.
Charron has secured a good job
in that city. He has already gone
there and will be followed soon by
his wife and children.

Mrs. Marius Hanson was hostess
to the ladies of the Bridge club Tues-
day afternoon. Everyone had a very
delightful time. Mrs. R. H. Gillett
held the highest score. Mrs. J. H.
Lamb was a guest of the club.

The regular monthly meeting of
the Ladies Aid society of the Mich-
elson Memorial church will be held
Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock,
May 5th at the church. As usual all
members are requested to be present.

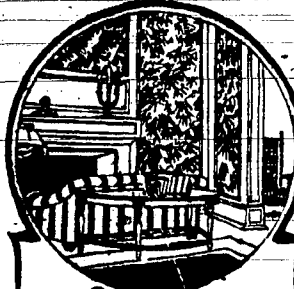
Clarence Johnson enjoyed having
as his guest over the Junior Prom,
Arthur Karpus of Bay City. Also
the latter's sister, Miss Jennie Kar-
pus was a guest of Miss Lucile Mc-
Phee over Sunday and attended the
Junior Prom.

Boy Scouts, Troop 2 held their
regular meeting Monday night
around a campfire on one of the hills
in that city. He has already gone
there and will be followed soon by
his wife and children.

The Merry Travelers, a musical
comedy that is to be given at the
school auditorium on the evenings of
May 4 and 5, is going to be one of
the pleasantest and funniest attrac-
tions that have ever been presented
in Grayling. 100 local people will
take part in the play.

Mrs. Edward Creque, Jr., arrived
in Grayling Sunday, bringing her
mother, Mrs. Rasmusson, to her
home. The latter a couple of
months ago was stricken with par-
alysis while visiting her daughter in
Detroit, and has been in a feeble
condition since. Altho she is gain-
ing each day, it will probably be
some time before she will be able to
be up and around. Mrs. Creque will
remain for a couple of weeks.

The Grayling friends of Mrs. How-
ard Ford of Bay City, formerly Mrs.
arah K. Michelson will join with her
in her sorrow, of the loss of her son
Frederick age seven years, who passed
away at Mercy Hospital in Bay
City Saturday night from mastoid
following a four weeks illness. Ev-
erything that medical skill could do
was done for the little lad, but of no
avail. Frederick was the son of the
late Fred Michelson, a former Gray-
ling boy.



Cheerful Rooms

Do you want a more
cheerful home?
You can have it, by se-
lecting the correct pattern
and color combinations in wall pa-
per.

Many a woman's repu-
tation for good taste and cheer-
ful home making qualities has
been gained by her happy se-
lection of wall paper.

Fortunately it isn't a
secret. For we have a large
selection of cheerful and
attractive interiors for every
taste and color.

"Prize" Wall Paper
always satisfies and pleases
my most exacting customers.
Satisfies cheerfully
accepted. When I call

B. D. Mitchel

A Sale

of Men's, Boys' and Children's

Tennis Shoes and Slippers

at Very Special Prices.

Men's Gymnasium Shoes, corrugated soles and tan trimmed.....	\$2.75	1 lot Men's Tennis Slip- pers, white or black.....	98c
Men's tan trimmed heavy canvas shoes.....	\$2.50	1 lot Children's Tennis Slippers, white or black, sizes 5 to 7 1/2.....	79c
Men's brown Service Shoe with extension sole and heel.....	\$3.00	Boys' Tennis Slippers black or white.....	85c
Men's Hummer Shoe, toe cap.....	\$1.75	Youths' Tennis Slippers, black or white.....	75c
Boys' Hummer Shoe, toe cap.....	\$1.50	1 case Children's black Tennis Oxfords.....	70c
Youth's Hummer shoe toe cap.....	\$1.40		
Youth's Athletic Shoe suction sole.....	\$1.75		

These are best quality Tennis
goods. 25 dozen on sale;
get busy and compare prices
and then get your supply.

Grayling Mercantile Co.

PHONE 1251

THE QUALITY STORE

Mrs. Ben DeLaMater was hostess
to the "Mistinet" 500" club at her
home Tuesday afternoon.

An itemized account of the ex-
penses of the Fathers and Sons banquet
that was held April 19, will be pub-
lished in the Avalanche next week.
If you are interested watch for it.

Mrs. Eugene Kendrick and nine
year old daughter Ruth arrived
Thursday from Hemmingford, Neb-
raska to make their home with Dr.
and Mrs. Oscar Palmer. Mrs. Kend-
rick and son Arthur expect to come next
fall, and the family will take up their
permanent residence here. Mrs. Ken-
rick was formerly Miss Rose Benson
and is a graduate of the Grayling
school.

Mrs. Esther Charron, wife of Hy-
acinth Charron, passed suddenly
away at her home in this city at
shortly after three o'clock yesterday
afternoon. Mrs. Charron had been
a resident of Grayling for the past
35 years, with her husband having
conducted the New Russell Hotel for
number of years. Funeral ar-
rangements have not yet been com-
pleted. More particulars next week.

The Holy mission that is being
given this week at St. Mary's church,
by Rev. Fr. Henry Beine of the Or-
der of Redemptorist Fathers of Chi-
cago is being attended by large
crowds. Three services are being
held daily, one in the early morn at
8:00 o'clock for the working men,
and one at 7:00; almost as many
are present at the early mass as at-
tend the later one. The evening
service takes place at 7:30 o'clock,
and also the children have a special
lecture hour at 4:00 each day. Last
evening Rev. Fr. Maerke, who has
been giving a mission in Roscom-
mon delivered a very fine lecture to the
young people of the parish at the R.
C. hall, while Rev. Beine gave a
special lecture for the married peo-
ple in the church. Both are force-
ful speakers.

SQUIBBLETS.

Waste means that everybody loses.
Anything is hard to do the first
time.

Sometimes it's better to forget
than to remember.
Everyone loves the man who pays
his bills promptly.

This may be helpful: Other people
have troubles, too.
Rough roads lead to beautiful scen-
ery—and not much else.

Why so few banks go broke is plain
to the man who borrows money from
them.

The real joy of life is in the strug-
gle, we achieve—that's the reason
why there is no rest.

The successful man is usually an
average man, who either made a
chance or took a chance.
Every man believes he drives the
best automobile for the money in the
world, which would indicate that all
automobiles have some good points.

No matter how poor we may be, a
grammar ourselves, we all enjoy de-
tecting mistakes on the part of the
other fellow.

It is easy to stab in the back the
man who keeps ahead of you.
A retentive memory is a blamed
nuisance sometimes.

The woman who gets ready in a
minute is worth waiting a lifetime
for.

The edict is that women's hair and
clothes must harmonize. That's why
they're bobbing it.
Some people go to church more to
save their faces than to save their
souls.

COMING.

A. S. Allard, eye sight specialist
will be in Grayling at Shoppenagon
Inn Tuesday, May 16. One day only.
Complete new and up to date equip-
ment. Frequent headaches, nervous-
ness, pain in back of head and neck,
eyes smart and burn with no enjoy-
ment at close work or at the movies,
are strong symptoms of eye strain
and can be relieved by right fitted
glasses. Let me examine your eyes,
under my modern drugless methods
and prove what correct glasses will
do for your case. Positively no glass-
es prescribed unless needed. Remem-
ber the date. Tuesday May 16. One
day only. A. S. ALLARD, O. D.
4-27-22.

Tanlac builds up the weak, run
down system and makes you feel
strong, sturdy and well, as nature
intended. A. M. Lewis, druggist.

PROBATE NOTICE.

State of Michigan,
The Probate Court for the
County of Crawford.
At a session of said court, held at
the probate office, in the village of
Grayling in said county, on the 18th
day of April A. D. 1922.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Mrs.
Lucy C. Robinson, deceased.

Robert M. Keegan having filed in
said court his petition praying that
the administration and the settlement
of said estate be granted to Mrs. Eva
Rangan or to some other suitable
person.

It is ordered that the twenty-second
day of May A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock
in the forenoon, at said probate office,
be and is hereby appointed for hear-
ing said petition.

It is further Ordered, that Pub-
lic notice thereof be given by publi-
cation of a copy of this order, once
each week for three successive weeks
previous to said day of hearing, in
the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper
printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.
A true copy. George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate. 4-27-23.

Alonzo Collen

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR

Sheriff

I hereby announce that I shall be a
candidate for the nomination of
Sheriff on the Republican ticket. If
nominated and elected I assure the
people of Crawford County that the
duties of sheriff will be faithfully
carried out.

ALONZO COLLEN.

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Cornell-Wood-Board is ideal.

It will not warp, crack, split or buckle,
resists fire and moisture and is a non-
conductor of heat and cold. Keep a bundle
on hand for alteration or repair work.

Come in today—we will gladly show
you Cornell-Wood-Board and explain
the Free Decoration and Design Service.

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True Detective Stories

VANISHING MAN

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WHEN Gideon Rubshaw, chief of detectives of Cleveland, Ohio, was notified over the long distance wire from Buffalo, that the police of that city had captured the four men responsible for the murder of Patrolman Leroy Bouker, he smiled, shrugged his shoulders, and muttered: "Fine work! That much is out of the way!"

But, had Rubshaw only known it, his troubles were only beginning—for one of the bandits, a man by the name of Meaney, determined to fight for his life with every weapon that the law afforded him.

Securing an attorney familiar with the kinks and twists of criminal law, he quickly succeeded in manufacturing an alibi which appeared to be iron-clad. Half a dozen witnesses swore that, at the time Bouker was shot, Meaney had been in their company, and that it was physically impossible for him to reach the scene of the crime in time to take part in the murder.

Meaney's lawyer followed his client's instructions to "make the alibi good enough for me to have 24 hours clear—once I'm out of Cleveland I'll never find me!" and the district attorney, rather than imperil the entire case, decided to drop the proceedings against Meaney and concentrate his attack upon the other three men who had the foresight to provide themselves with capable legal assistance. Therefore, in spite of the pleadings of Chief Rubshaw, Meaney was released.

Less than twelve hours later, the chief of detectives secured evidence that riddled the carefully prepared alibi—evidence which proved that Meaney had been directly implicated in the murder. But it was too late. The gunman had vanished, apparently into thin air!

Spurred on by a realization that he had had the man he wanted actually lodged in jail, only to have him slip through a loophole in the legal wall which surrounded him, Rubshaw determined to nail the escaped murderer if, as he stated, "it took ten years and every man on the force to do it."

The city of Cleveland was combed from one end to the other. Every known meeting place in the underworld was watched and riddled and closed.

But the days lengthened into weeks, and the weeks into months, and still there was no trace of Meaney.

At night, when his day's work was finished, Rubshaw would relieve the men always on watch at the former Meaney home, for the chief had a theory that some day the fugitive's wife would provide the clue which would lead them to the man they wanted.

Yes, I know it's hard work and tedious work," Rubshaw would say as he took up his nightly vigil. "But there's no woman alive that can outwit us if we keep steadily at it."

As events proved, however, Rubshaw was wrong. The clue which led to the final capture came from another and unexpected source.

It was some eleven months after the Bouker murder, after Meaney had been traced to Toledo and Pittsburgh and St. Louis and Toronto and various points in between, the police at Washington, D. C., called in Chief Rubshaw and told him that they had a lead.

Meaney was in the action itself. The last tonight stands in that window hundreds of times before. But there was something in the attitude of the woman ahead of him in line, some thing further about the manner in which she attempted to conceal the address of the father which she carried about which made the chief of the detectives wonder what was wrong.

When he caught a flash of her face, half-hidden under a long black veil, he had an intuition that he knew her reason for trying to prevent anyone from seeing the letter. The woman was Meaney's sister-in-law.

As she purchased the "gun" and bent forward to affix it, Rubshaw stepped swiftly out of line and succeeded in catching a glimpse of the envelope. One glance was all he needed. The missive was addressed to John M. Oliver, at a number which Rubshaw knew was in a secluded and quiet part of Indianapolis.

Early the following morning Rubshaw took up his vigil outside the house where Oliver was supposed to be living. But no one answering to the description of the missing man made his appearance, so the Cleveland chief determined to force the issue by sending out two of the local police to find out if anyone by that name resided there. Scarcely had they reported that "Oliver lived there, but was out at the time," than Meaney strode down the street and stared to mount the steps of the house, totally unsuspecting of his danger. An instant later, Rubshaw was upon him, his automatic ready for action, but the fugitive, realizing the folly of opposition to superior force, threw up his hands and surrendered.

"You've got me," he admitted. "Just when I thought I was safe, too. How'd you manage it?"

"A little matter of a postage stamp," said Rubshaw, and it wasn't until after he had commenced his life term in the Ohio penitentiary, that Meaney discovered the loophole which he had overlooked, the trivial detail which had enabled Rubshaw to trace him when every other means had failed.

Irish Weigh Pigs.

The resourcefulness of the Irish is shown in their method of weighing without scales. "To weigh a pig," said an Irishman the other day, "all ye have to do is to lay a plank across a sawhorse, place a big stone on one end of the plank and the pig on the other, then shift the plank until the two things balance. Then ye guess the weight of the stone and ye have the weight of the pig."—Boston Transcript.

Interpreter of Nature.

The inhabitants of a frog pond close at hand, says the Yonkers Telegram, awakened two little girls who were spending their first night in the country. First came the high piping voice of a little "peeper."

"What's that?" asked Winnie. "I think it's a bird," Susan ventured to reply.

Just then a basso-profundo frog sang one of his lowest notes.

"What's that?" Winnie asked in a startled whisper.

"I'm not sure," replied Susan, "but I think it is either a cow or an automobile."

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Invite Needlewoman's Art; Trimmings Vary Taffetas

For afternoon and evening gowns, the vogue for simple styles, united with that for fine sheer fabrics, in lovely colors, invite the art of the needlewoman; for needle craft is depended on to give distinction to simplicity. Beading, drawn work, embroidery and other kinds of stitchery, have important parts to play this season—there is nothing in the way of lace, or organdie, into pretty frocks for summer afternoons.

It is apparent that all designers of afternoon and evening frocks have been more or less fascinated by the old-time charm of the bouffant skirt in company with the cuirass bodice. At any rate gowns following these lines continue to be presented, especially in the materials that are most adaptable to them, as organdie and tulle, and many little tricks are resorted to by designers to insure the bouffant silhouette. Tucks—white or navy—ruffles, bound edges and covered cord—trimming serve instead of hoops to keep the skirts outstanding. The pretty taffeta frock shown here is a fine example of this popular style for afternoon or informal evening wear. Its tucks and ruffles do double duty, serving for adornment and to give additional body to the silk. The skirt is straight and full, bordered with white tucks and scalloped at the bottom. Narrow ruffles serve to outline the shoulders. They have pleated edges and are gathered with a little upstanding frill along the upper edge. The flaring sleeves take advantage of the pretty whim of fashion.

adornment to equal them. With ingenious draperies they vary the simple styles and redeem them from the commonplace. The gown shown here might be perfect without its hand embroidery, but it would not be more than that, and it would pass unnoticed. As it is, with embroidery and drapery, it is more than pretty. Imagine it in another colored georgette, crepe, embroidered in amber and rust-colored beads, and you will vision its loveliness, or think of it in light, perhaps white, blue, with beads in blue and orchid. In the cascaded drapery at each side the designer has shown unusual cleverness by attaching it to the skirt where it falls below the bodice. The flaring sleeves take advantage of the pretty whim of fashion.

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Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale
BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

SPRING PARADE

"We're here," said the wild geese. "We have come to join the spring parade."

"Of course we do not all come together, for you know that is not the way in a parade."

"The different kinds of creatures are in different parts and sections of the parade."

"Yes," said Mistress Spring. "I like to sit in the Spring grandstand and have all my dear friends pass me in the parade."

"I move my grandstand about, too, so I can see those who like to parade in the woods and those who like to parade near the marshes and brooks."

"Let me see. Who are coming next?"

"Here we are," chirped the robins. "We're in the spring parade."

"Of course you are, you darlings," said Mistress Spring.

"We're in the spring parade," said the red-winged blackbirds. "Glad to see you," said Mistress Spring.

"You're great friends of mine," she added.

"Here we are," said the fox sparrows.

"Good," said Mistress Spring. "And you've noticed us, we hope," said the crickets.

"Yes, indeed," said Mistress Spring. "We're here," said the spring peepers, as Mistress Spring moved her grandstand nearer the ponds and the marshes.

"Oh, you dear little sneaky creatures," said Mistress Spring.

Then a few mourning cloak butterflies went by.

"Hello, Mistress Spring," they called.

"Hello," said Mistress Spring. "It is always a pleasure to see the butterflies."

"Croak welcome spring and Mistress Springtime," said Mistress Spring, for both are your names," said the wood frogs in chorus.

"Greetings, Mistress Spring," said the Leopard Frogs, wearing their handsome suits and looking very distinguished and fine.

"Greetings to all my dear frog friends," said Mistress Springtime, or Mistress Spring. Either name can be used for her. In fact any name can be used as long as it makes you think of the lovely springtime and the waking-up-time of so many little creatures and of the arriving time for many of the travelers.

"Hello," said Mr. Fowler's Toad and his family.

"Hello," said Mistress Spring. The woodland flowers and shrubs and trees all came forth to hear her more clearly, and so did everything that belonged to the spring.

They care so much for the sound of her voice that even though they may be sleepy they open one eye and then the other until they are quite quite awake for Mistress Springtime.

But Mistress Springtime doesn't hurry her creatures too soon.

She likes them to take little additional dozes and naps. There is nothing about Mistress Springtime that is like an alarm clock.

Besides, colder days may come. No, she doesn't want to hurry her creatures unless she and Mr. Sun get so excited in their talks that the creatures all come out to see what it is about.

"Greetings, dear Miss Spring," said the American Toad.

"Hello, little garden friend," said Mistress Springtime.

"We greet you," said the upland loads.

"I greet you, too," said Mistress Springtime.

"And we are delighted to see you," said the cricket frogs. "We were a little late in coming, but we're still in the spring parade."

"Of course you are, of course you are," said Mistress Springtime.

"You make a lovely chorus, too," she added. "I'm very fond of your voices."

"And, dear me, there comes the Pickering Frog family."

"And the green frogs, and all the rest of them," added Mistress Springtime.

"Then, there are the tree toads over yonder. I hear them!—Harken to them! I do love them!"

"What a gorgeous thing is the spring parade," Mistress Springtime said happily.

Hasn't Done It Yet.

Four-year-old Willie had been to stay with her cousins, two romping, hoisterous boys, who teased her sadly the whole time.

When she came back and was telling her father all about her visit, she said:

"Daddy, every night when Jack and Roger say their prayers, they ask God to make them good boys."

"That's quite right," said her father.

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STIRRED UP THE COMMUNITY
 Gap Johnson's Good Reasons for Thinking Confessions Can Be a Little Too Public.

"They've been carrying on a revival over further side of Mount Pizzy for quite a spell," related Gap Johnson of Hampus Ridge, "and a pleasant time was had till the converts took to confessing in meeting. A sister riz up and let it be known that she and a certain brother had been figuring on eloping, and two or three brothers followed with remarks about the sins of themselves and other gents. Next day the lady's husband hunted up the fellow she said she'd been going to elope with, and although he swore he'd never even heard of the plan, whipped him to a custard. And quite a passel of gents left in the next few days, claiming that if everybody was going to tell everything they knowed they didn't feel like waiting till the grand jury set. Well, it is all right, but I sorter 'low it ort to be a private matter—every fellow that feels like he'd got to confess go ahead and do so, but leave other folks out of it."—Kansas City Star.

Interpreter of Nature.
 The inhabitants of a frog pond close at hand, says the Youngstown Telegram, awakened two little girls who were spending their first night in the country. First came the high, piping voice of a little "peeper."
 "What's that?" asked Winnie.
 "I think it's a bird," Susan ventured to reply.
 Just then a basso-profundo frog sang one of his lowest notes.
 "What's that?" Winnie asked in a startled whisper.
 "I'm not sure," replied Susan, "but I think it is either a cow or an automobile."

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True Detective Stories
VANISHING MAN
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WHEN Gideon Rabshaw, chief of detectives of Cleveland, Ohio, was notified over the long distance wire from Buffalo, that the police of that city had captured the four men responsible for the murder of Patrolman Leroy Bouker, he smiled, shrugged his shoulders, and muttered: "Fine work! That much is out of the way!"

But, had Rabshaw only known it, his troubles were only beginning—for one of the bandits, a man by the name of Meaney, determined to fight for his life with every weapon that the law afforded him.

Securing an attorney familiar with the kinks and twists of criminal law, he quickly succeeded in manufacturing an alibi which appeared to be iron-clad. Half a dozen witnesses swore that, at the time Bouker was shot, Meaney had been in his company, and that it was physically impossible for him to reach the scene of the crime in time to take part in the murder.

Meaney's lawyer followed his client's instructions to "make the alibi good enough for me to have 24 hours clear—once I'm out of Cleveland they'll never find me" and the district attorney, rather than imperil the entire case, decided to drop the proceedings against Meaney and concentrate his attack upon the other three men who had the foresight to provide themselves with capable legal assistance. Therefore, in spite of the pleadings of Chief Rabshaw, Meaney was released.

Less than twelve hours later, the chief of detectives secured evidence that rattled the carefully prepared alibi—evidence which proved that Meaney had been directly implicated in the murder. But it was too late. The gunman had vanished, apparently into thin air.

Spurred on by a realization that he had had the man he wanted, actually lodged in jail, only to have him slip through a loophole in the legal wall which surrounded him, Rabshaw determined to hunt the escaped murderer, or, as he stated, "I took ten years and every man on the force to do it."

The city of Cleveland was combed from one end to the other. Every known meeting place in the underworld was watched and riddled and closed.

But the days lengthened into weeks, and the weeks into months, and still there was no trace of Meaney.

At night, when his day's work was finished, Rabshaw would relieve the man always on watch at the former Meaney home, for the chief had a theory that some day the fugitive's wife would provide the clue which would lead them to the man they wanted.

"Yes, I know, it's hard work and tedious work," Rabshaw would say, as he took up his nightly vigil. "But there's no woman alive that can outwit us if we keep steadily at it."

As events proved, however, Rabshaw was wrong. The one which led to the final capture came from an other and unexpected source.

It was some eleven months after the Bouker murder—after Meaney had been traced to Pittsburgh and St. Louis and Toronto and various points in between, the police always one jump behind him—but Rabshaw dropped into the Cleveland post office to purchase a stamp. There was nothing unusual in the action itself. He had bought stamps at that window hundreds of times before. But there was something in the attitude of the woman ahead of him in line, something furtive about the manner in which she attempted to conceal the address of the letter which she carried, which made the chief of the detectives wonder what was wrong.

When he caught a flash of her face, half-hidden under a long black veil, he had an intuition that he knew her reason for trying to prevent anyone from seeing the letter. The woman was Meaney's sister-in-law.

As she purchased the stamp, and bent forward to affix it, Rabshaw stepped swiftly out of line, and succeeded in catching a glimpse of the envelope. One glance was all he needed. The missive was addressed to John M. Oliver, at a number which Rabshaw knew was in a secluded and quiet part of Indianapolis.

Early the following morning Rabshaw took up his vigil outside the house where Oliver was supposed to be living. But no one answering to the description of the missing man made his appearance, so the Cleveland chief determined to force the issue by sending two of the local police in to find out if anyone by that name resided there. Scarcely had they reported that "Oliver lived there, but was out at the time," than Meaney strolled down the street and started to mount the steps of the house, totally unsuspecting of his danger. An instant later, Rabshaw was upon him, his automatic ready for action, but the fugitive, realizing the folly of opposition to superior force, threw up his hands and surrendered.

"You've got me," he admitted. "Just when I thought I was safe, too. How'd you manage it?"

"A little matter of a postage stamp," said Rabshaw, and it wasn't until after he had commenced his life term in the Ohio penitentiary, that Meaney discovered the loophole which he had overlooked, the trivial detail which had enabled Rabshaw to trace him, when every other means had failed.

Irish Weigh Pigs
 The resourcefulness of the Irish is shown in their method of weighing without scales. "To weigh a pig," said an Irishman the other day, "all ye have to do is to lay a plank across a sawhorse, place a big stone on one end of the plank and the pig on the other, then shift the plank until the two things balance. Then ye guess the weight of the stone and ye have the weight of the pig."—Boston Transcript.

Invite Needlewoman's Art; Trimmings Vary Taffetas

FOR afternoon and evening gowns, the vogue for simple styles, united with that for fine sheer fabrics, in lovely colors, invite the art of the needlewoman; for needle craft is depended on to give distinction to simplicity. Beading, drawn work, embroidery and other kinds of stitchery have important parts to play this season—there is nothing in the way of lace, or organdie, into pretty frocks for summer afternoons.

It is apparent that all designers of afternoon and evening frocks have been more or less fascinated by the old-time charm of the bouffant skirt in company with the cuirass bodice. At any rate gowns following these lines continue to be presented, especially in the materials that are most adaptable to them, as organdie and taffeta, and many little tricks are resorted to by designers to insure the brilliant silhouette. Tucks—wide or narrow—ruffles, bound edges and covered cord trimming serve instead of hoops to keep the skirts outstanding. The pretty taffeta frock shown here is a fine example of this popular style for afternoon or informal evening wear. Its tucks and ruffles do double duty, serving for adornment and to give additional body to the silk. The skirt is straight and full, bordered with pin tucks and scalloped at the bottom. Narrow ruffles serve to outline the scallops. They have pleated edges and are gathered with the corresponding trimming and a collar



Bead Embroidery Makes This Gown.

adornment to equal them. With ingenious draperies they vary the simple styles and redeem them from the commonplace.

The gown shown here might be pretty without its bead embroidery, but it would not be more than that, and it would pass unnoticed. As it is with embroidery and drapery, it is more than pretty. Imagine it in another colored georgette, crepe, or broadcloth in amber and frost-colored beads, and you will vision its lovely lines, or think of it in light port, with blue, with beads in blue and arching. In the cascaded drapery at each side the designer has shown unusual cleverness by attaching it to the skirt where it falls below the bodice. The daring sleeves take advantage of the pretty whim of fashion



Pretty Taffeta Frock.

tion to allow a slit along the top of the arm, and the soft circle is made of the georgette.

Dresses made of fine velvies are even simpler than those of georgette, but there is much handwork in them. Drawn work, fine tucks, hemstitching, feather-stitching, and other dainty needlework place these lovely cotton frocks in the class of their fragile silk sisters. They appeal to the taste of gentlewomen everywhere, and are exquisite in light colors and white.

There are sheer velvies showing fine, colored cross-bars on a white ground, that are made up with white net, or

cut from pin-tucked taffeta and lined with a ruffle finishes the round neck. A little slash of pleated-edged ribbon is tied at the side and holds a small cluster of bright cherries that lend the dark dress a gleam of vivid color. This model might be made up in light colors for evening wear, with its finishing touch of fruit or flowers chosen to set off the color in the dress. As pictured, it is made of black taffeta.

Julie B. Thornley
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Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale
 BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

SPRING PARADE

"We're here," said the wild geese. "We have come to join the spring parade."

"Of course we do not all come together, for you know that is not the way in a parade."

"The different kinds of creatures are in different parts and sections of the parade."

"And the ones belonging together usually go together. So we're the wild geese section of the parade."

"Yes," said Mistress Spring. "I like to sit in the Spring grandstand and have all my dear friends pass me in the parade."

"I move my grandstand about, too, so I can see those who like to parade in the woods and those who like to parade near the marshes and brooks."

"Let me see. Who are coming next?"

"Here we are," chirped the robins. "We're in the spring parade."

"Of course you are, you darlings," said Mistress Spring.

"We're in the spring parade," said the red-winged blackbirds.

"Glad to see you," said Mistress Spring.

"You're great friends of mine," she added.

"Here we are," said the fox sparrows.

"Good," said Mistress Spring. "And you've noticed us, we hope," said the crackles.

"Yes, indeed," said Mistress Spring. "We're here," said the spring peepers, as Mistress Spring moved her



"Hello, Little Garden Friend."

grandstand nearer the ponds and the marshes.

"Oh, you dear little cheery creatures," said Mistress Spring.

Then a few mourning cloak butterflies went by.

"Hello, Mistress Spring," they called.

"Hello," said Mistress Spring. "It is always a pleasure to see the butterflies."

"Crank welcome spring and Mistress Springtime, or Mistress Spring, for both are your names," said the wood frogs in chorus.

"Greetings, Mistress Spring," said the leopard frogs, wearing their handsome suits and looking very distinguished and fine.

"Greetings to all my dear frog friends," said Mistress Springtime, or Mistress Spring. Either name can be used for her. In fact any name can be used as long as it makes you think of the lovely springtime and the waking-up-time of so many little creatures and of the arriving time for many of the travelers.

"Hello," said Mr. Fowler's Toad and his family.

"Hello," said Mistress Spring.

The woodland flowers and shrubs and trees all came forth to hear her more clearly, and so did everything that belonged to the spring.

They were so much for the sound of her voice that even though they may be sleepy they open one eye and then the other until they are quite, quite awake for Mistress Springtime.

But Mistress Springtime doesn't hurry her creatures too soon.

She likes them to take little additional dozes and naps. There is nothing about Mistress Springtime that is like an alarm clock.

Besides, colder days may come. No, she doesn't want to hurry her creatures unless she and Mr. Sun get so excited in their talks that the creatures all come out to see what it is about.

"Greetings, dear Miss Spring," said the American Toad.

"Hello, little garden friend," said Mistress Springtime.

"We greet you," said the upland toads.

"I greet you, too," said Mistress Springtime.

"And we are delighted to see you," said the cricket frogs. "We were a little late in coming, but we're still in the spring parade."

"Of course you are, of course you are," said Mistress Springtime.

"You make a lovely chorus, too," she added. "I'm very fond of your voices."

"And, dear me, there comes the Pickered Frog family."

"And the green frogs, and all the rest of them," added Mistress Springtime.

"Then, there are the tree toads over yonder. I hear them! Harken to them! I do love them!"

"What a gorgeous thing is the spring parade," Mistress Springtime said happily.

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 And Bridegroom's Explanation Only Added to the Ludicrousness of the Situation.

A widower in a Pennsylvania town, no longer a young man, gave the bridegroom a good deal of trouble in his simplicity on the occasion of his second marriage. He seemed to be possessed by some spirit of contrariety.

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Hasn't Done It Yet.
 Four-year-old Hilda had been to stay with her cousins—two romping, bawling boys, who teased her badly the whole time.
 When she came back and was telling her father all about her visit, she said:
 "Daddy, every night when Jack and Roger say their prayers, they ask God to make them good boys."
 "That's quite right," said her father.
 "But," she added significantly, "He hasn't done it yet!"

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

A Trying Period Through Which Every Woman Must Pass

Practical Suggestions Given by the Women Whose Letters Follow

Phila., Pa.—"When I was going through the Change of Life I was weak, nervous, dizzy and had headaches. I was troubled in this way for two years and was hardly able to do my work. My friends advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am very sorry that I did not take it sooner. But I have got good results from it and am now able to do my housework most of the time. I recommend your medicine to those who have similar troubles. I do not like publicity, but if it will help other women I will be glad for you to use my letter."—Mrs. FANNIE ROSENSTEIN, 832 N. Holly St., Phila., Pa.

Detroit, Michigan.—"During the Change of Life I had a lot of stomach trouble and was bothered a great deal with hot flashes. Sometimes I was not able to do any work at all. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in your little books and took it with very good results. I keep house and am able now to do all my own work. I recommend your medicine and am willing for you to publish my testimonial."—Mrs. J. S. LIVENGOOD, 2051 Junction Avenue, Detroit, Mich.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent you free upon request. Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts. This book contains valuable information.

The critical time of a woman's life usually comes between the years of 45 and 50, and is often beset with annoying symptoms such as nervousness, irritability, melancholia. Hot flashes or waves of heat appear to pass over the face, cause the face to be very red and often bring on headache, dizziness and a sense of suffocation.

Another annoying symptom which comes at this time is an inability to recall names, dates or other small facts. This is liable to make a woman lose confidence in herself. She becomes nervous, avoids meeting strangers and dreads to go out alone.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is especially adapted to help women at this time. It exercises a restorative influence, tones and strengthens the system, and assists nature in the long weeks and months covering this period. Let it help carry you through this time of life. It is a splendid medicine for the middle-aged woman. It is prepared from medicinal roots and herbs and contains no harmful drugs or narcotics.

Business Brothers.
 President Nelson of Smith college was making a rather tedious journey and was glad when the man who had the seat in front of him turned around and began a conversation. The man proved to be a traveling salesman and took it for granted that Doctor Nelson was another. "What's your line?" he asked. "Mine's skirts," "Well, so is mine," said the president of Smith.—New York Evening Post.

A man who is on his way to the devil has a great and mistaken contempt for the simple life.

When two women begin to exchange compliments it's the recording angel's cue to get busy.

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- 1 Rotospeed Copying Machine.
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- Oil Tanks.
- 1 Ford Truck.
- 1 Toledo Counter Scale.
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PROBATE NOTICE

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due to lack of proper feed, may be raised with a profit.

"A Tennessee live-stock owner states: 'Well-bred runts make fairly good animals; mongrels, never.'"

"A comment which forms a general basis for deciding whether to raise a runt comes from a Virginia farmer: 'Being born small generally has little effect on size of an animal at maturity if it has proper nourishment from birth to maturity. But to develop into a high-class animal, it must have good breeding back of it; and, to do this, we must use purebred strains that are good individuals with strong constitutions.'"

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"I find that I cannot cheat the animal without cheating myself," says a Maine farmer.

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Can Runts be Reduced? Yes.

"A Utah farmer in warning against the danger of inbreeding, said: 'When I was a boy father bought a bull. He kept that bull 10 years. Calves became smaller and runty. Finally he sold the bull and got another, and every 2 years, now, we get new bulls. We have improved our stock and have no runts.'"

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PROBATE NOTICE

State of Michigan.

The probate court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 10th day of April A. D. 1922.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William King, deceased.

Christ E. King having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

PROBATE NOTICE

It is ordered, that the fifteenth day of May A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

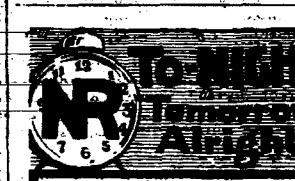
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEVEN-TAGON

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the Crawford County Board of Commissioners, Crawford County, Michigan, until 11:00 o'clock a. m., of the 10th day of May, 1922, by Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, at the State Highway Department, Lansing, Michigan, for the purpose of constructing the necessary drainage structures and surfacing to which of "Sixteen (16)" feet with gravel.

Plans may be examined and instructions to bidders, specifications and proposal blanks obtained at the office of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners, Crawford County, Court House, Grayling, Michigan, at the District Office of the State Highway Department, Comstock Building, Alpena, Michigan; and at the office of the State Highway Department, Lansing, Michigan. Plans will be furnished by the undersigned upon receipt of a deposit of five (\$5.00) Dollars which will be returned upon their safe return.

A certified check in the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) Dollars, made payable to Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, must accompany each proposal.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK F. ROGERS, State Highway Commissioner, Lansing, Michigan. April 4, 1922.

NOTICE

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land herein described:

"Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Charge of the County in which the land lies, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as contemplated of suit, and the further sum of five dollars, for each description without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land."

Description of land:

State of Michigan;

County of Crawford;

Lot 18, Block 3, Portage Lake Park. Amount paid \$2.10; Tax for years 1902 and 1903;

Lot 19, Block 3, Portage Lake Park. Amount paid 79 cents; Tax for year 1903.

Lots 18 and 19, Block 3, Portage Lake Park. Amount paid \$5.87; Tax for years 1902 and 1917.

Claud Gilson, Plaintiff, vs. Elizabeth Sutton, et al., Defendants.

In the regular chain of title of such lands or of any interest therein as appear in the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county.

County of Crawford

I Do Hereby Certify and Return that the within notice was delivered to the said service on the twenty-fifth day of November, 1921, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Mrs. Elizabeth Sutton, alias being the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county; to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described land, and the date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service or of the whereabouts or the postoffice address of the executor, administrator, trustee or guardian of such estate, mortgagee, or assignee upon the foregoing described land.

Bernest P. Richardson, Sheriff of said County. My fees 25 cents. 4-12-4.

NOTICE

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of money secured by a mortgage dated the seventh day of December A. D. 1904, executed by George Mahon and Nettie Mahon, his wife, then of the Village of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to Marjorie Hanson of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, in Liber E of Mortgages on pages 568 and 569 on the eighth day of September A. D. 1905 at twelve o'clock M.

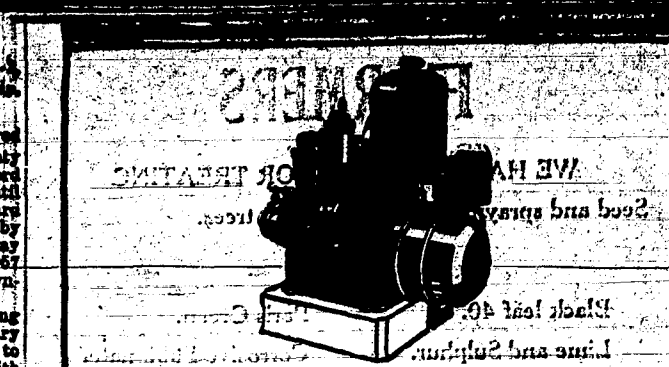
And Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of Three hundred forty six and 85/100ths dollars and the further sum of fifteen dollars, as attorney's fees, and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale in then made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises there-in described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling in said County of Crawford, that being the place where is held the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, on the nineteenth day of June, A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, when said premises are described as follows, to-wit:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate and lying in the Village of Grayling in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, and described as follows: Eight (8) Lots Five and Six, Block Eight (8) of the Second Addition in the Village of Grayling, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated March 21st 1922.

Marjorie Hanson, Geo. L. Alexander, Mortgagees. Attorney for Mortgagees. 3-21-19



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 Judge of Probate.

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And now, with the opening of Spring, there seem to be quite a number of "New and Special tires" coming into the market in the \$10.90 price range.

Perhaps you are wondering just what there can be either "new" or "special" about these tires.

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Nor quality reputation and standard performance—for it takes more than one full season for any new tire to demonstrate where it stands in quality and value.

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